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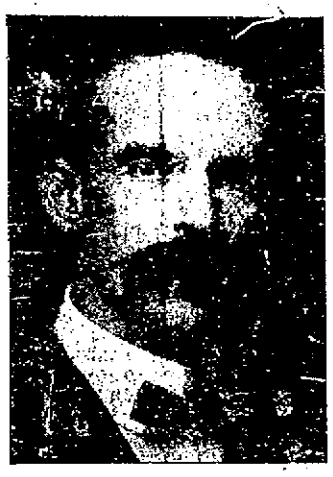

PATRICK J. BOYLE,
Mayor.

FRANCIS N. FULLERTON,
City Clerk.

PRESIDENT AND MRS. TAFT RECEIVE

Preside for Third Time at New Year's Function.

Affair Carried Out in Accordance With Program of Former Years.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 1.—President and Mrs. Taft presided today for the third time at the historic New Year's reception at the White House. The day was overcast and threatening, but a decided improvement over the snow and rain which prevailed a year ago and in 1910.

Custom has not changed the New Year's reception in any particular for a decade and today the big function was carried out in accordance with the set program of years. President and Mrs. Taft stood in the blue room of the White House surrounded by the members and ladies of the cabinet. It was just 11 o'clock when they descended from the upper floors with the Marine band playing "The Star Spangled Banner." Military and naval aides were scattered about the White House in profusion.

The diplomatic corps already had assembled in the state dining room when the President and Mrs. Taft took their places. All the foreign representatives were in court costume and they inaugurated the reception with the usual brilliance of coloring.

Following the diplomats the President received the Supreme Court and other federal judges, government officials of all ranks, Senators and Representatives, officers of the army and navy and various patriotic societies. Last in line, according to custom, came the private citizens. Many thousands of them passed through the White House. No limit was placed on the public.

Three new ambassadors were among the diplomats received today. Both Baron Hengelmuller, ambassador from Austria Hungary, dean of the diplomatic corps, and the French ambassador, M. Jusserand, second in rank, were absent and the first place in line fell to the British ambassador, Mr. Bryce. The three new faces in the line of ambassadors were those of George Bakhmeteff of Russia, Senor Crespo Y. Martinez of Mexico and Domicio Da Gama of Brazil.

A breakfast to the diplomats, given by Secretary and Mrs. Knox in the building of the Pan American Union, shortly after noon, was a brilliant continuance of a custom almost as old as the Presidential reception to the public. This year marked a departure from precedents, in that the reception took place outside the home of the Secretary of State. Secretary and Mrs. Knox were aided in receiving the members of the diplomatic corps by the assistant secretaries of state and members of the foreign affairs committees of the Senate and House, with their wives and daughters.

A prominent figure in the navy line today was Robert E. Peary, the explorer, who appeared for the first time in his rear admiral's uniform.

Dr. Mary Walker, in silk hat, frock coat and trousers, was among the first of the citizens to greet the President.

PASS RETURNED TO SENDERS.

Dr. Reed of the House Refuses to Accept One from New Haven Road.

PROVIDENCE, Jan. 1.—Dr. James P. Reed, the first Socialist ever elected to the Rhode Island legislature and who will be sworn in as a member of the House tomorrow, declined today to accept a pass sent him by the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad. He returned the pass to the company, declaring that if it was intended to influence him to favor the corporation he "resented the imputation."

NEEDED ON STREET DUTY.

Uniformed Police on Duty in the White House to be Removed.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 1.—All the uniformed policemen on duty in the White House and the executive offices are to be removed. The orders were to have become effective today, but on account of the New Year's reception were postponed until Wednesday. The orders affect 22 policemen, many of whom have been on duty at the White House for 10 years or more.

The change is said to be due to a protest by Representative Burleson of Texas, a member of the House committee on appropriations, who thought the policemen were needed on street duty. President Taft at once called the matter to the attention of the district commissioner, with the statement that, so far as he was concerned the policemen could be removed from the White House at any time the local authorities so direct.

STEAMER ARRIVED.

New York, Jan. 1, Caledonia, from Glasgow and Moville.

CLARK BURDICK CHAIRMAN.

Chosen to Preside Over Representative Council by a Small Majority.

Inauguration of the New City Government and Address of Mayor Boyle.

The Representative Council and Board of Aldermen held the inaugural meeting this noon and the city government for the current year was given a start. There was for the first time a contest for chairman of the Council, the previous chairman having been elected unanimously. This first contest was a close one, Mr. Clark Burdick winning from Mr. John B. Sullivan, 88 to 84, with one vote blank and 21 members absent.

City Clerk Fullerton was unanimously re-elected, two vacancies in the Council were filled and Mayor Boyle and the members of the Board of Aldermen sworn in. Mayor Boyle read his inaugural, which took 16½ minutes, and finally the Council took a recess until 3 o'clock this afternoon, when the routine business will be taken up. Presumably the Council will then take another recess until this evening, when the annual election of officers will take place.

It being a general holiday, and the weather preventing some work which would have gone on despite the holiday, if conditions were right, the members of the Representative Council early began to drift toward the City Hall for the inauguration of the new city government. By 11 o'clock, an hour before the time for assembling, a number were already there and more were coming in.

At 11:06 the Board of Aldermen met for the last time for the year 1911. There was nothing to do except to adjourn. This was not known when the board adjourned Thursday evening, but there was no telling what there might be and an adjournment was made to this morning. Mayor Boyle, and Aldermen Albro, Shepley, Mahoney and Leddy were present. Alderman Mahoney moved the usual vote of thanks to Mayor Boyle for his conduct of the business as presiding officer, and to President Shepley for his services when he occupied the chair; also to City Clerk Fullerton for his courtesy during the year. The vote was unanimous and after a session of about two minutes the Board of Aldermen for 1911 adjourned sine die.

As the hour of noon approached, the lobby began filling fast with members, candidates for office and plain citizens. The committee on inauguration had the lobby and the Council chamber decorated with potted plants and two officers were on duty to see that order was observed. There were some hustlings in seeing members and talking things over and many ballots were distributed, though it was known that the vote for city officers would not come up before evening.

It was 12:03 when City Clerk Fullerton called the Council to order and asked for the credentials of members-elect from the First ward, followed by the other wards. Some as usual had forgotten, but notified the clerk in advance. Then came the swearing in of the members-elect present and about all seemed to be on hand. Next those elected to fill vacancies, with the exception of Dr. Robinson, were sworn and at 12:12 the roll was called and 189 answered.

Nomination for chairman of the Council were called for and Mr. Murphy named John B. Sullivan, while Captain Cotton named Clark Burdick. Messrs. Brown, Cozzens, Levy, W. Williams and Bowman were named as tellers and the ballot was taken.

At this time there were 173 names checked as present, with 21 absent, there being one vacancy. The absentees were Asher, Atwater, Bullum, W. B. Byrnes, Carney, Carroll, P. F. Clark, P. J. Connell, Dailey, Fludder, Franklin, Garrettson, J. Gibson, Goldie, Kalkman, Marks, J. P. McCarthy, E. Morgan, Robinson, Seabury and Wood. Later Messrs. Byrnes, Carroll and Robinson reported and the latter was sworn.

Before the vote was taken Mr. Lyons of the Fifth ward suggested that there was a vacancy in that ward and asked that a recess be taken to permit it to be filled. In view of the fact that a ballot had been ordered it was questioned if the motion was in order and the City Clerk ruled that the ballot must first be taken. The result was announced as follows:

Whole number of votes cast,	173
Necessary to a choice,	87
Clark Burdick had	88
J. B. Sullivan had	84

There was one blank.

The announcement of the election of Mr. Burdick was warmly applauded as he stepped to the desk and was sworn in by the city clerk.

Chairman Burdick said: "Gentlemen: I thank you for the honor conferred on me by election as your chairman. Like other chairmen I will have to ask your kind forbearance at times but I promise to use my best endeavor to fulfill the duties of my position fairly and impartially."

Mr. Volgt moved to take a recess to fill the vacancy in the Fifth ward, Dr. Brackett said there was another vacancy, in the Third ward. M. A. Sul-

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BOTH AMERICAN CHALLENGERS LOSE.

Wright Beaten by Brooke, and Larned by Heath.

Each Wins Only One Set in Davis Cup Tennis Singles.

CHRISTCHURCH, New Zealand, Jan. 1.—The American challengers lost both of today's matches for the Davis International lawn tennis cup.

Norman E. Brooke captain of the Australasian team, defeating Wright, 6-4, 2-6, 6-3, 6-2.

Larned's showing against Ted. Heath was even more disappointing to the American sympathizers. Heath won three out of four sets, as follows: 2-6, 6-1, 7-5, 6-2.

The weather was excellent and the attendance large. The loss of two matches leaves the outlook dismal for the Americans. They must win every one of the three remaining matches to lift the cup.

MANY IMPROVEMENTS URGED.

Mayor Fletcher Recommends the Policy of Biennial Elections.

PROVIDENCE, Jan. 1.—Many recommendations for municipal improvements were contained in the inaugural message of Mayor Henry Fletcher, who was inducted into office for a fourth term here today. Mayor Fletcher reported a decrease in the city debt. He advocated the continued improvement of the harbor, a re-adjustment of the street railway and lighting franchises, and "a reasonably satisfactory car service," provision for increased educational facilities, elimination of grade crossings, the conservation of the municipal water supply and a cleaning up of the streams.

In part he said: "It is gratifying to report that the high financial standing of the city has been maintained. The revenue from taxes and other sources, aside from loans, during the last fiscal year, was sufficient to meet the appropriations for maintaining the city government and to produce in addition a surplus of $39,-738. Expenditures have been kept within appropriations." The mayor recommended that the city adopt the policy of holding biennial elections.

ONLY ONE NEW EXECUTIVE.

Mayors Inaugurated in the Six Cities in Rhode Island.

PROVIDENCE, Jan. 1.—In all the six cities of the state mayors were inaugurated today and the municipal government organized with the customary exercises. Woonsocket had the distinction of installing the only new mayor of the six. Mayor Raphael P. Daignault, while in Newport Mayor Patrick J. Boyle assumed the duties of the chief executive for the fourteenth consecutive time. Of the six mayors, three are Republicans, two Democrats, and one, Mayor Boyle, elected on a non-partisan ticket.

The mayors inaugurated in the different cities were as follows:

Providence, Henry Fletcher, Republican, fourth term.

Pawtucket, Giles W. Easterbrooks, Republican, second term.

Woonsocket, Raphael P. Daignault, Republican.

Newport, Patrick J. Boyle, non-partisan, fourteenth term.

Cranston, Edward M. Sullivan, Democrat, third term.

Central Falls, F. X. L. Ratley, Democrat, second term.

BOTH PLANTS COMBINED.

Stillwater Worsted Company Moves Plants to Mill at Harrisville.

PROVIDENCE, Jan. 1.—Combining his Connecticut mill with the one he ran at Greenville, R. I., under the name of the Stillwater Worsted Company, Austin Levy, a New York commission merchant, moved both of them today to the mill recently vacated by the United States Worsted Company at Harrisville. The Waterhouse Worsted Company will take possession of the mill vacated by the Stillwater Worsted Mill at Greenville. The United States Worsted Company went to Lawrence, Mass.

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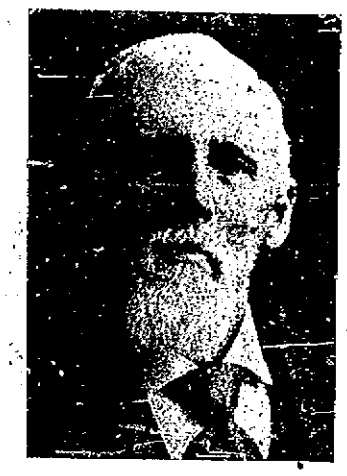

WILLIAM H. HARVEY.

ALBERT C. LANDERS.

CHARLES P. AUSTIN.

STEPHEN H. SULLIVAN.

BRAM A. BROWN, (Middletown).

THE RECORD OF 1911.

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tor and George A. Brown. Two members of the Representative Council, Robert G. Foster and Mortimer L. Sullivan, and Stephen H. Sullivan, a prominent member of the fire department, also died.

Among the summer residents who died were William G. Roelker, F. Cope Whitehouse, Mrs. Josiah P. Cooke, F. C. Van Horn, Charles G. Weld, William Cutting, Jr., and W. Rogers Morgan. Two officers of the navy well known in Newport were Rear Admiral Edmund O. Matthews and Rear Admiral Charles S. Sperry. Commander Frank Marble, attached to the Naval War College, committed suicide

There were a few changes in the church pulpits, Rev Martin F. Reddy, who had been for several years an assistant at St. Mary's, was appointed pastor of the new St. Augustin's church and Rev. John P. O'Rourke was named as his assistant. Rev. George H. Hines was added to the list of assistants at St. Mary's. Rev. T. Wellington Henderson, D. D., succeeded Rev. William H. Thomas as pastor of the Mt. Zion African Methodist Episcopal Church, Rev. Friedolph Sederman followed Rev. C. J. Wigren at the Swedish Methodist Episcopal and Rev. Harold M. Kingsley succeeded Rev. E. F. Barrow as pastor of the Union Congregational. Rev. Edward A. Johnson, D. D., pastor of the First Baptist John Clarke Memorial for 11 years, resigned and the pulpit is not yet filled. Rev. H. Myreen, of the Swedish Lutheran Church, received a call to a church in Quincy, Mass., but declined.

A summary of the principal events of the year is given, as follows:

January.

1—Simeon E. Westall died. Trinity Church boy choir inaugurated.

2—City government inaugurated. Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Thurston observed fiftieth wedding anniversary.

3—Street Commissioner and Mrs. J. K. Sullivan observed twenty-fifth wedding anniversary.

4—Benjamin U. Carr, veteran letter carrier, died, 84.

6—Rev. James DeWolf Perry consecrated bishop of Rhode Island.

8—Mrs. John R. Caswell died.

9—Fire damaged Arter's garage on DeBlois street.

10—Sheriff Anthony, Judge Robert M. Franklin and Clerks Sidney D. Harvey and George H. Kibley re-elected. Ladd estate on Bath road sold to Providence parties.

13—William T. Libby died.

14—Rebecca S., widow of Darius M. Wilcox, died, 88.

16—Will of Mrs. Gardiner B. Perry probated, giving $50,000 to Redwood Library and bequests to other Newport institutions. John S. Langley died, 80.

17—Dr. Nathaniel R. Chace found dead in his office.

18—Henry F. Lippitt elected United States Senator from Rhode Island.

19—Board of Aldermen endorsed

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TAFT WILL NOT PARDON MORSE.

Announces That Medical Officers' Report Does Not Warrant Pardon.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.—It was announced at the White House tonight that the report of the army medical officers who have examined Charles W. Morse, convicted New York banker, serving sentence in the Atlanta, Ga., federal prison, does not warrant immediate interference by the President and the pardon will not be granted at present.

The physicians made a physical examination of Morse in the military hospital at Fort McPherson, where the banker is under treatment under guard. They also studied his mental condition and transmitted their findings to President Taft through Surgeon General Torney.

The physicians find that Morse is suffering from arterio sclerosis, valvular trouble of the heart, Bright's disease, and recently suffered from an acute attack of congestion of the kidneys. They found no paralysis.

The doctors pronounce Morse's condition necessarily incurable, but do not anticipate immediate death. Their recommendations are such that President Taft found no reason to depart from the attitude he has assumed in the Morse case.

It is generally understood that President Taft is unwilling that Morse die a prisoner, but he does not intend to grant the pardon until he is convinced that the prisoner is in a dying condition.

DEATH OF EDWARDS SPENCER.

Edwards Spencer, a prominent lawyer of New York, died Saturday afternoon in that city, after a short illness. He was formerly a summer resident of Newport, occupying "Rosevale" on Narragansett avenue and the Hodgson cottage on Bellevue avenue six or seven years ago. Mr. Spencer was married in 1894 to Mrs. Emily Stout, widow of Francis A. Stout and daughter of General J. Meredith Read of Newport and Paris. The ceremony was performed in Paris and was a notable event. A civil ceremony followed, at which one of the witnesses was United States Ambassador Eustis, Mrs. Spencer survives him, with two daughters, Misses Huguette and Delphine de Forras Spencer. Mr. Spencer was a member of the Union Club, the St. Nicholas Society and the Mayflower Descendants.

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98c Gowns, high or V neck, of Fruit-of-the-Loom and Masonville cotton, fine tucked yokes for this sale 79c

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98c. Elder Wool Aviation Caps at 79c.
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50c. Denim Bumpers, all sizes, at.25c.

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$1.95 Beacon Blankets .....$1.75 pr.
$2.25 Beacon Blankets .....$2.00 pr.
$8.00 Wool Blankets.....$7.00 pr.
$6.00 Wool Blankets.....$5.00 pr.
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15c. Eden flannels .....10c. yd.
15c. Fleecedown Kimona flannels .....12½c. yd.
10c. and 12½c. Fancy Outing flannels.....8 1-2c. yd.
12½c. Fancy Dress Percales.. 10c. yd
12½c. Silkolines, both plain and fancy 10c. yd.
16c. Fancy Cretonnes .....12½c. yd.
54-in. Bleached Damask, 25c. grade, ...21c. yd.
32c. Bath Robe Flannels.....29c. yd.
19c. Spun Glass Linings .....10c. yd.
12½c. 4-4 Langdon Cotton.....11c. yd.
12½c. All Linen Crash .....10c. yd.
10c. All Linen Crash.....8c. yd.
12½c. Glass Towelling .....10c. yd.
10c. Glass Towelling .....8c. yd.
39c. Rajah Silk Suitings.....12½c. yd.
12c. Fancy Silk Novelties.....21c. yd.
29c. Poplin Suitings .....18c. yd.
19c. Fine grade madras Waistings.. .....15c. yd.
15c. Linalinon Suitings .....9½c. yd.
$1.59 Hemmed Bed Spreads $1.39 each
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A small lot of embroidered White Lawn Waists to close at .....25c.

98c. Black Sateen Waists reduced to .....73c.

98c. Black and White Check and Striped Flannel Waists reduced to .....73c.

A small assorted lot of Silk Waists formerly $2.50, to close at ...$1.49.

Silk Waists, assorted colors, formerly $2.75 to $3.50, to close at .....$1.98.

Silk Waists of taffeta and messaline, black and colors, formerly $4.95, to close at .....$2.95.

Black Silk Net Waists, reduced from $5.75 to $3.75; from $9.75 to $6.50

EXTRAORDINARY BARGAINS IN THE GLOVE DEPT.

A small lot Pique Tan Gloves, regular price $1.00, to close at .....65c. a pair

Black Glace Gloves, regular price $1.00 to close at 65c. a pair

8-Button Biarritz Gloves, tan and black, regular price $1.25, to close at.....65c. a pair

2-clasp German Lamb Kid Gloves, white, tan and grey, special value at 75c., to close at .....55c. a pair

Men's Gauntlet Plush Gloves, with leather back, regular price $1.00, to close at.....75c. a pair

Men's and Boys' 25c. Astrachan Gloves, to close at ..... 10c. a pair

Men's Lamb Lined Kid Gloves, regular price $3.00, to close at .....$2.25 a pair

Ladies' Real Mocha Gloves, tan and grey, regular price $1.25, to close at .....79c. a pair

VEILINGS AND VEILS.

Our entire stock of Mesh Veilings, all new patterns, regular price 25c. and 29c., sale price ..... 19c.

UNUSUAL VALUES IN THE HOSIERY SECTION.

10c. Girls' and Boys' Heavy Ribbed Cotton Stockings, sizes 6 to 9½ at ..... 7c. a pair.

12½c. Girls' and Boys' Stockings, the kind that are famous in Newport, at.....10c. a pair.

15c. Girls' Medium Weight Fine Ribbed Stockings, now 12½c. a pair.

25c. Infants' Cashmere Stockings, with silk heels and toes, in all colors, now ..... 18c. a pair.

A mixed lot of Children's 25c. Stockings to close out at 10c. a pair.

10c Women's Black Stockings at ..... 7c a pair

15c Women's Gauze Lisle-Finish Stockings at ..... 11c a pair

40 dozen Women's Silk-finish Lisle Gauze, garter top and double soles, regular price 25c, at 17c a pair

25c Women's Silk Boot Stockings, at ..... 17c a pair

Women's Heavy Cotton Stockings, silk-fleeced, all the 50c and 37c ones, in this sale, at ..... 25c a pair

50c Women's Silk Boot Stockings, at ..... 37c a pair

Women's Mercerized High-Color Stockings, were 25c, to close at ..... 15c a pair

An assorted lot of Women's Colored 50c Lisle Stockings, at half price, ... 25c a pair

Men's 10c Black Cotton Sox at ..... 7c a pair

Men's 12½c Merino Sox at 10c a pair

Men's 25c Mercerized Silk Sox, in all shades, to close at ..... 15c a pair

Men's 12½c Split Foot Socks at .....10c a pair

Flannelette House Kimonas.

Full length at Closing-out Prices.

Flannelette House Kimonos, full length, at closing out price 98c. ones reduced to .....68c.

$1.50 ones reduced to .....97c.

$1.98 ones reduced to $1.25

$1.25 Eiderdown Sacques now ...95c.

French Flannelette House Dresses were $1.49 reduced to .....98c.

Men's $5.00 Smoking Jackets, left over from Christmas, at half price $2.50

ANTICIPATE FUTURE NEEDS IN WINTER UNDERWEAR.

Men's Heaviest Grade of 50c Fleeced Shirts and Drawers at .. 37½c each

Men's ¾ Wool 75c Shirts and Drawers at ..... 62½c each

Men's $1.00 quality Shirts and Drawers, white or natural, at ... 79c each

Men's $1.25 Quality Shirts and Drawers, silk kinds, at ..... 97c each

SPECIAL Men's $1.00 Wrights' Egyptian Yarn Ribbed Shirts and Drawers at ..... 75c each

25c Boys' Fleeced Shirts and Drawers at ..... 19c each

50c Boys' Wool Shirts and Drawers at ..... 37½c each

25c Girls' Vests and Pants, all sizes, at ..... 19c each

50c Girls' Half Wool Underwear at ..... 37½c each

50c Girls' Combination Suits at ..... 37½c each

25c Ladies' Fleeced Underwear at ..... 19c each

50c Ladies Fleeced Underwear at ..... 37½c each

75c Ladies Wool Underwear at ..... 62½c each

$1.00 Ladies Wool Underwear at ..... 79c each

$1.00 Ladies' Union Suits at 79c. each

$1.50 Ladies' Union Suits at $1.00 each

A lot of Ladies' Lighter Weight 50c Vests at half price..... 25c

SWEATERS

At Greatly Reduced Prices.

Ladies' 50c. Cotton Sweaters, white and grey, at half price .....25c.

$2.50 Ladies' Wool Sweaters, white, grey and red, reduced to $1.98

$3.75 Ladies' Heavy Worsted Sweaters reduced to $2.98

$5.00 Ladies' High-grade Sweaters, coat length or medium length, reduced to $3.95

$1.49 Misses' Wool Sweaters, reduced to .....98c.

$1.75 Misses' Wool Sweaters, with sailor collars, reduced to $1.25

50c. Children's Wool Sweaters reduced to .....35c.

95c. Children's Wool Sweaters reduced to .....65c.

THE SMALL WARE SECTION OFFERS TEMPTING VALUES.

10c. Aluminum Soap Boxes for .....5c.
25c. Shoe Brushes for.....15c.
5c. Basting Cotton, 500 yards spools, for ..... 3c.
5c. Paper Pins, full count, ...2 papers for 5c.
25c. boxes of Writing Paper for..7c.
5c. Pearl Buttons, 5 sizes, 2 doz. for 5c.
60-inch Tape Measure .....1c.
5c. Machine Oil .....2 for 5c.
50c. and 69c. Velvet Hand Bags for ..... 39c.
Ironing Wax .....1c.
12c. Reliable Dress Shields for .....7c. a pair
25c. Pad Hose Supporters for.....15c.
10c. boxes of Shell Hair Pins for.. 7c.
Mennen's Talcum Powder .....10c.
15c. bunches of Shoe Lacings for.. 7c.
Clinton Safety Pins, all sizes, dozen ..... 4c.
Hooks and Eyes, black and white, ...6 dozen for 5c.
100-yard spools Black Sewing Silk ..... 4c.
Bone Collar Buttons, a dozen.....3c.
10c. Children's Hose Supporters....5c.
5c. Talcum Powder....2 boxes for 5c.
19c. Tooth Brushes for.....12c.
15c. Shopping Bags for .....8c.
15c. Dressing Combs for .....8c.

LACES.

Torchon Edgings and Insertion, 2 to 4 in. wide, sale price..... 4c. yard.

All-Overs in Venise and Oriental, black, white and ecru, regular price 42c, ... sale price 22c.

All-Overs in Venise and Oriental, black, white and ecru, regular price 55c, ... sale price 39c.

All-Overs in Venise and Oriental, black, white and ecru, regular price 75c..... sale price 59c.

All-Overs in Venise and Oriental, black, white and ecru, regular price $1.25, ... sale price 79c.

HANDKERCHIEFS.

Ladies' and Men's Hemstitched, plain and colored border, extra large size ..... 4c. each

Special value in Ladies' Pure Linen initials, regular price 75c. and $1. box, sale price 59c. Nearly all letters in stock.

A Foremost Opportunity for Money Saving in this Sale.

CORSETS.

$1.50 CORSETS FOR THIS SALE 95c. W. B. Corsets, 1912 spring model made of imported coutil, whalebone boning with heavy elastic supporters attached; after this sale they will sell in our regular stock at $1.50. To introduce this new model, with the permission of the makers, we offer them during this sale at ..... 95c.

The "Bee Hive" Special, the best 50c. corsets in America, for this sale ..... 38c.

SRASSRE CORSET WAISTS, yoke embroidery, value 50c., for this sale ..... 25c.

APRONS.

APRONS The Christmas 25c. Tea Apron for ..... 18c.

A lot of larger Aprons, formerly 19c., and 25c. for .....15c.

A lot of fancy Swiss Aprons, to close at ..... 5c. each.

PETTICOATS.

50c. Black Petticoats for ..... 39c.
75c. Black Petticoats for .....59c.
95c. Black Sateen Petticoats, for ..69c.
$1.49 Featherbloom Petticoats for 97c.
$1.95 Black and Colored Taffeta Silk Petticoats for $3.65

FLANNELETTE GOWNS and SKIRTS at Cut Prices.

98c. Striped Flannelette Gowns, reduced to.....75c.
$1.25 Striped Flannelette Gowns, reduced to .....98c.
$1.49 White Flannelette Gowns, reduced to .....79c.
$1.37 White Flannelette Gowns, reduced to $1.00
Children's Flannelette Gowns, all sizes, regular price 50c. and 58c., all sizes at.....35c.
Dr. Deyton's Sleeping Garments 50c. 60c. and 70c., according to sizes, all sizes now .....49c.

MEN'S FURNISHINGS.

50c. Negligee Shirts at .....35c., or 3 for $1.00
$1.00 Negligee Shirts at .....85c.
50c. Working Shirts at..... 37½c.
$1.00 Flannelette Pajamas, with frogs, at ..... 85c.
12½c. Linen Collars at .....10c.
25c. Silk Scarfs, Teeks and Four-in-hands at .....15c.
25c. Silk Mufflers, left over from Christmas, at .....15c.
50c. Cotton Sweaters, Men's and Boys' at .....37c.
$1.25 Men's Wool Sweaters at ..98c.
$1.98 Men's Wool Sweaters at ..$1.39
$2.50 Men's Wool Sweaters at...$1.95
50c. Men's Flannelette Night Shirts at ..... 39c.
$1.00 Men's Flannel Night Shirts ..... 69c.
50c Men's Combination boxes of Suspenders and Muffler .....35c.

LADIES' NECKWEAR.

Side Jabots, new designs in lace, muslin and combination, regular price 29c., sale price ..... 19c.

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PROMINENT CITIZENS DECEASED DURING 1911.

CHARLES H. WARD (Middletown).

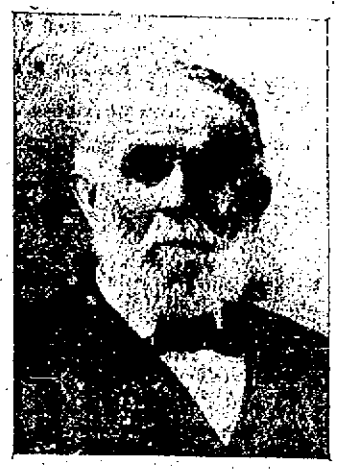
J. GOTTLIEB SPINGLER.

OVERTON G. LANGLEY.

GEORGE H. WILBAR.

JOHN GILPIN.

IDA LEWIS.



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NEW YORK LETTER.

Metropolis Welcomes the New Year With an Elaborate Celebration.

Novel Device to Make Hens Expert Accountants—The First Silk-Hatted Police Squad.

[Correspondence of The News.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—The new year of 1912 will be ushered in in this city by a celebration such as is observed nowhere else in the world, and one which will make the famous feasts of Lucullus seem insignificant in comparison. For many years the passing of the old year has been the city's greatest night of celebration. This year however, two factors combine to give it added importance. Since the festival falls on a Sunday it will be impossible to secure liquid refreshment except at hotels and restaurants as a part of the dinner. For the same reason there will be no all night liquor licenses issued. As a result the celebration will be confined to the city's great hostelries and guests will be forced to order the night's supply of champagne early. For two weeks every table in every popular resort in the lobster belt has been reserved for the inevitable "supper" at prices ranging from $10 to $50 apiece and that takes no account of the many dollars that will be spent in other ways after the game is on.

It is estimated that 50,000 people will partake of the feast in that gilded mile of Broadway, beside which all the rest of the world seems tame and uninteresting on New Year's eve. Enough food will be eaten or wasted to feed an army for a week, and the champagne consumed would float a battleship. The section in which the celebration will be most strenuous extends from Twenty-third street to Forty-eighth street and reaches its climax at Longacre Square into which Broadway, Seventh Avenue, Forty-second street and Forty-fourth street pour an army of revelers and sight-seers. Around the square are ranged the famous restaurants and hotels where the fun will be most uproarious. So great has been the demand for places that the capacity of the regular dining rooms and cafes was exceeded long ago, and all sorts of makeshift arrangements have been made to accommodate the overflow in ballrooms and parlors.

That the great American hen may soon be called upon to act as her own expert accountant, in addition to her duty of producing eggs, is now being indicated here at the annual poultry show through one of the strangest devices in the history of chickendom. In future it will not be sufficient for Mrs. Hen to lay the egg, for the new recording device will also make it necessary for her to give written testimony to the effect that she has done so by means of crayons of various colors and recording sheets of paper which will be furnished her.

The new recording device by which the egg-laying activities of any hen can be determined consists of a small steel spur affair which is attached to one of her legs, on the end of which is fastened a piece of colored crayon. When she enters the specially built nest she locks herself in, at the same time lowering a bar that later on makes an accountant of her. After the egg is safely deposited, to regain her freedom she must stoop to get under the bar, and in doing so makes a mark with the crayon attached to her leg on a piece of paper that is placed on the floor of the entrance to the nest, thus registering the fact that the hen with the red, blue or green crayon as the case may be, has laid the egg. While the device is not likely to reduce the cost of the morning meal, it will undoubtedly work a hardship to those fowls which do not live up to their responsibilities as egg producers.

The modern system of education as practiced in the public schools of most cities is all wrong in the opinion of Mayor Gaynor who does not hesitate to point out what, in his opinion, are its most serious defects. In the first place, according to the man who has given Epictetus renewed fame, children in the schools are made to study too hard; an attempt is made to teach a little of everything and as a result nothing is learned thoroughly. Another count in his indictment against the modern school system is that when the children emerge from it they are unprepared and unwilling to do useful work. The boys refuse to learn trades and the girls turn up their noses at housework.

"We are now bringing boys and girls out of the common schools who are taught so much and who think they know so much that they simply won't work with their hands," says the mayor. "Unless they can get a job where they can sit on a high stool at books or at a typewriter they simply won't work." His remedy is to attempt less teaching of languages and general subjects and more drill in industrial lines and domestic economy. On one point His Honor undoubtedly will have the unanimous support of the school children themselves and that is on his assertion that their tasks should be made lighter.

New York is soon to have the first silk-hatted police squad in its history, and as a result this promises to be a difficult winter for the clever beggars, or "panhandlers" as they are known, who have been flocking to the city with the idea of reaping their usual rich reward in the most exclusive sections of the city. The new squad is being organized principally to protect the Fifth Avenue and club districts from the operations of beggars of country-wide fame who, every winter through their skilful work relieve pedestrians in these districts of more than $250,000. Already consternation has spread among the select "panhandling" circles and such celebrities as "Louis the Crust Thower" and "Jimmy the Bone Gnawer," and many others equally well known, are preparing to leave before the silk-hatted squad really get busy. When it does New Yorkers will be treated to a novel spectacle.

According to the instructions issued the members will have to parade the fashionable districts clad in frock coats and silk hats in the afternoon and in full evening dress at night. They will make no arrests. They are expected to serve only as a lure for "panhandlers." When approached for a "touch" their orders are to string him along until a policeman in uniform is encountered, and lodge a complaint just as an ordinary citizen would. Some of the squad wanted to balk at wearing silk hats, but when the value of such headgear as bait for mendicants was pointed out they finally yielded.

A new long distance walking record has just been established by the arrival here of Captain H. M. Seaton who thereby completed a walking trip around the world. Captain Seaton left New York April, 1908, and since that time has covered 34,700 miles, or an average of nearly 30 miles a day throughout the entire period. He has accepted conveyance only in crossing the oceans and other water spaces which which it was impossible to traverse on foot. If his claims are well-founded he probably has made the longest continuous journey ever accomplished by a pedestrian, including the crossing of every one of the continents.

Longacre.

LATE CHRISTMAS FESTIVALS.

For the Children of the Swedish Lutheran, Danish Brotherhood and St. Claire Home.

The Sunday School of the Swedish Lutheran Church held its annual Christmas festival Sunday evening, the audience being large in spite of the inclement weather. The little church looked inviting from the outside and unusually pretty within, candles being placed in all the windows. Instead of one there were five Christmas trees, all beautifully decorated and surrounded with gifts for the children. The program was divided into a recital of declamations, dialogues and musical selections as follows:

Declamations—John Faulkenholm, Leonard Bloom, Albert Stohlberg, Celia Johnson, Thelma Lawton, George Ericson, Adda Olson, Arys Eden, Edwin Steven, Esther Ericson, Ethel Johnson, Theodore Bloom, Beckman Lawton, Gunnar Stone, Signi Faulkenhom, Johnny Ericson, Ruben Eden, Mary Johnson, Agnes Johnson, Fred Johnson, Oscar Larson, Lillie Eden.

Dialogues—George and Esther Ericson, Ruben Eden, Gunnar Stone; an acrostic exercise by six small children.

Piano selections—Francis Johnson; Harry Kalquist, Harold Johnson and Carl Anderson, two selections on the piano, cornet and violin; Misses Celia and Agnes Johnson sang a duet and Mr. Carl Bloom a solo. Selections were also rendered by the church choir under the leadership of Harold Johnson, organist.

After the exercises came the distribution of presents.

The annual Christmas festival of the Danish Brotherhood was held Saturday evening in Music hall, in the large room, and was agreed by members and guests alike to be the merriest and most successful "Yulefest" ever given under the auspices of the society. The affair was especially to give pleasure to the children, who first danced hand in hand around the tree until their "hearts were light and faces bright." Then Santa Claus appeared on the scene and conducted the distribution of presents.

After each child had received a toy and box of candy, the little folks gave way to the adults, who spent the remainder of the evening dancing. Professor Lodter's orchestra furnishing the music. Occasionally a characteristic Danish dance was run in by the orchestra, which always brought an encore. The Christmas tree, which was tall and finely decorated, remained in the centre of the floor throughout the evening.

At 12 o'clock sharp the dancing ceased and all adjourned to the hall below and partook of coffee and cake, served by a committee of the Danish Sisterhood.

The members of the committee of arrangements, who were complimented for the pleasant evening afforded, were Eric Christensen, Andrew Christensen, Rasmus Johnsen, William Christjansen and Mads Lauritzson.

One hundred and seventy-five children were given a Christmas festival Saturday afternoon by the Sisters of the Home assisted by the sewing class and members of the Queen's Daughters. Each child was presented with a pair of mittens, a box of candy, oranges and sacred pictures; the last named the gift of Rev. W. B. Meenan of St. Mary's Church. The Queen's Daughters also presented a gift to Father Meenan. During the afternoon the Sisters served luncheon to the members of the Queen's Daughters.

THE TITUS COMPANY TO APPEAL DONAHUE CASE.

The A. C. Titus Company has filed with the clerk of the court a notice of intention to prosecute a bill of exceptions in the case brought by Catherine Donahue for damages on account of slipping on a rug in the company's store. The case was tried before a jury last June, resulting in a verdict of $1,000 for the plaintiff, and last week the superior court refused to grant a new trial. The latest action of the Titus Company will take the case to the supreme court.

THE RECORD OF 1911.

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protests of Civic League and Ministers' Union against moving picture exhibitions on Sundays.

20—Sarah Matilda Howland, widow of Albert Hammett, died.

21—Children without guardians or parents barred from moving picture shows.

23—Thomas P. Peckham, retiring president of the Young Men's Christian Association, honored with a complimentary banquet.

24—William G. Roelker, prominent summer resident, died in New York. Mrs. William B. Franklin retired from presidency of the Women's Auxiliary to the Young Men's Christian Association.

26—Representative Council committee gave hearing on police station sites, Elizabeth A. W., widow of Joshua C. Brown, died, 75.

27—Edward E. Taylor died, 82.

28—Robert G. Foster, member of the Representative Council, blown from the roof of the Berwind garage and died of his injuries. Willie Pascoe died as the result of a fall down stairs at the Hazard Memorial School. Michael W. Callaghan died on a train on his way to Boston.

29—George E. Allen died. Rear Admiral Edmund O. Matthews, U. S. N. (retired), died at Cambridge. Steamboats suffered in severe wind storm. Sarah P., wife of J. G. Stevens, died, 70.

30—Wind blew at the rate of 80 miles an hour. Charles S. Rice died.

February.

1—Rear Admiral Charles S. Sperry, U. S. N. (retired), died in Washington. Maria Antonia, widow of Giovanni Cappuccilli, died, 83.

2—Aldermen voted to try Rhode Island coal. Newport Police Relief Fund Association elected new officers. Steamer Plymouth in collision with a towboat off New York.

3—National Lawn Tennis Association voted to hold championship tournament in Newport. Narragansett bay selected as one of the bases of operations for the battleship fleet.

4—Colonial Theatre opened.

6—Membership contest ended at the Young Men's Christian Association with a total of 600. Changes in Thames Street stores announced. Mary E., widow of Frederick N. Barlow died, 84.

7—Mrs. William F. Hall died.

8—Mrs. Florence K. Howland died, 86. Mrs. James H. Clarke died.

9—Alfred G. Vanderbilt presented portrait of his father, the late Cornelius Vanderbilt, to the Young Men's Christian Association.

10—Daniel C. Denham died, 78. Daniel J. Moriarty died, 78.

13—Lincoln's birthday observed in the schools. Women's Auxiliary voted to cancel mortgage of Young Men's Christian Association. Machinists' Union objected to machinists' classes in the evening schools.

14—Commander Frank Marble, of the Naval War College staff, committed suicide.

16—Boys' Secretary Ellis L. Jackson of the Young Men's Christian Association resigned. Ice harvest begun.

17—Edward R. Anthony, town treasurer of Portsmouth, died.

20—Seven-inch fall of snow—Sleighing.

23—William B. Cox, well known bandsman, died from injuries.

24—Mrs. John Nicholas Brown gave a reception for Bishop Perry.

25—Captain Edwin Wilcox, inspector of steamboats, died in Providence. William A. Barker, inmate of Henderson Home, died.

27—Lucy A., widow of Abram C. Rice, died, 89.

March.

3—William C. Cozzens died in Stamford, Conn.

6—Representative Council adopted financial budget, including appropriation for new sewerage system for the north Kay Street district. Newport Council, Boy Scouts of America, organized.

7—Officers from Forts Adams and Greble detached for service on the Mexican border.

8—Michael Sullivan died from the effects of a fall two months before. Peleg D. White died.

9—General Assembly passed bill for the consolidation of the Jamestown ferries. Fire damaged the stock of the Newport Provision Company.

10—James J. Coogan's residence, "Whitehall," burned.

13—Representative Council adopted new telephone contract. School Committee voted to continue machinists' classes.

14—City bell ringing resumed. Michael McClosky died. Benjamin A. Peckham, war veteran, died, 78.

15—A photographer for a Boston paper had his camera smashed by witnesses in the Walker divorce case.

16—May C. Fogey fatally burned at her home on Potter street. Captain Benjamin F. Gardner of Jamestown died.

17—Ex-Congressman Adin B. Capron died at Stillwater.

18—Countess Margot von Bernstingen married at her mother's residence to Samuel H. Norris, Jr.

19—Pharmacist Cornelius O'Leary, U. S. N., died.

20—Walter H. R. Jeier died. Daniel Cook, 90, died. Women's Foreign Missionary Jubilee begun. Nathaniel Thayer, well known summer resident, died in Boston.

22—Charles E. Spooner died.

23—George A. Brown died. Torpedo boat destroyer Burrows blown aground on Blue Rocks. Joseph S. Eddy, former Newporter, died in Providence.

29—James R. Palmer died, 75.

31—Jamestown town meeting voted to issue loan of $50,000 for the consolidation of the ferry companies.

April.

2—City Physician John H. Sanborn died.

3—Rev. Joseph Cooper and Rev. W.

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THE NEW YEAR.

[Woman's Home Companion.]

Not new, like the coin golden glinting,
Complete as it falls from the mint,—
Nor new, like the broidery hinting
Of splendor in every fresh tint,—
But new, like the child onward gazing
At life all before it unknown,
Like the prince when the vassals are raising
Their banners in love round his throne.

No word of its words hath been spoken,
No deed of its deeds hath been done;
Nor the bread of its benisons broken,
Nor its battles in bravery won,
Still tarry its songs for the singer,
Still slumber its manifold looms;
Its bells are yet waiting the ringer,
And vacant are standing its tombs.

Even yesterday past groweth hoary,
Allied to traditions of old,
Partaking the gloom and the glory
The cycles uncounted have held.
And the new year, with breathless tomorrows,
With raptures and yearnings and sighs,
Defeats and disasters and sorrows,
Hath Eden's lost youth in our eyes.

Though it bear for us wisdom or folly,
In silence it utters no sign;
Through our garlands of cedar and holly
There murmurs no message divine.—
Save this, that with loyal endeavor,
And heart of all empty clear,
Who welcome it gally may ever
Look forth on a happy New Year.

THE OLD AND THE NEW.

[Margaret E. Sangster, in Christian Herald.]

"Good-by to the old," we sighed,
As the tired year breathed his last,
And faded away at the end of the day,
Into the bourne of the past.

"Good-by to the old," we said,
For the year was a friend we knew,
With his winsome hours, and his lusty powers,
His skies that were blithe and blue.

But since all the years must go,
"Good-morrow!" we cried with glee,
To the little year that in bright good cheer
Came here, in our midst to be.

Good-morrow, you happy king,
That hath dared Time's door to ope;
With your smiling face, and your royal grace,
And your beautiful dower of hope.

You have neither fear nor grief,
As you bow where the stars roll by.
You are born of the light, and day and night
Shall serve you straight from the sky.

You may bring us death or life,
You may bring us pain or cheer;
Your times may be rife with tumult and strife,
Yet we hail you, glad New Year.

A prayer, a song, a cry
To the God of the passing years!
Who can give us strength for the journey's length,
And rainbow all our tears.

FANCIES.

If the aspiring author can believe the bookbinder, every book is bound to sell.—[Philadelphia Record.

Youthful Guide—Oh, I see there's a Highland bull in this field, Auntie. Shall we—shall we let him rest?—[Punch.

"Does Brown ever realize anything on his stock deals?"

"No, not even that he's a fool."—[Boston Transcript.

"Nobody says 'shop early' now."

"No," replied Mr. Growcher. "The admonition has been changed to 'please remit.'"—[Chicago Record Herald.

"Want to buy a parrot, lady?"

"Does he swear?"

"This one don't, lady, but I've got one on board the ship as is a wonder—and only a dollar more!"—[Judge.

First Saleslady—Are you goin' to marry that gentleman that comes here every day?

Second Ditto—Nope. I'd rather have a job without a husband than a husband without a job.—[Life.

Hairdresser—Ah, that is a wax, sir. You need never worry about that coming off your mustache with the damp weather. I've had one lot on mine for a month—believe me, sir; one month—including a bath!—[Punch.

"Now, what's to be the consideration of this deed," asked the lawyer.

"Don't you let 'em put dat in, squire," said Uncle Rastberry. "If dar's anythin' in dat papah 'bout dat man showin' consideration to anybody, dar ain't a jury in de county dat kineter hold it legal."—[Washington Star.

"What have you ever done to place the world in your debt?"

"It isn't what I've done that places the world in debt to me, but I want you to understand that I am able to look the whole world in the face and tell it that I have never put a plugged coin into a Christmas box."—[Chicago Record Herald.

"I was the victim of a painful surprise last night."

"How was that?"

"At dinner I sat next to a Boston girl, and, supposing she would be frigid, I asked her to cool my soup a little by blowing on it."

"What happened?"

"I was roasted to a cinder."—[Chicago Record Herald.

MEDICINAL LEAVES AND HERBS.

Descriptive List of Those in Common Use Issued by the Department of Agriculture.

The Department of Agriculture has issued a bulletin on leaves and herbs used as medicine. Nor is this the first publication put out by this department on the subject of medicines—the others being Weeds Used as Medicine, Root Drugs and Medicinal Barks. Collectors of medicinal plants have made such insistent demands on the department for a guide in their work that a description of 36 medicinal plants, including only such as are in most common use, has been prepared by direction of the secretary, 15 of these being mentioned in the eighth decennial revision of the United States Pharmacopoeia. Each plant is listed under the name in most common use, but synonymous common names, and the pharmacopoeial name, if any, are also given, that no one should have difficulty in recognizing the plants familiar to him or in identifying an unknown one, if of the series from the description given.

Perhaps the best known plants included in this bulletin are peppermint and spearmint, which are not only found in the wild state, but are also cultivated for the distillation of oil, an important American industry. Witch-hazel, almost a household word, is found in low, damp woods from New Brunswick to Minnesota, and south to Florida and Texas. The soothing properties of this plant were known to the Indians, and it is still employed for the relief of inflammatory conditions. Wintergreen is described as having stimulant and antiseptic properties, though its chief use seems to be as a flavoring agent. Horehound, one of the best known domestic remedies for colds, has a wide range, being found from Maine to South Carolina, Texas, and westward to California and Oregon. Jimsonweed, a common weed in field and waste places, is found almost everywhere except in the North and West. The dried leaves are frequently smoked or the fumes inhaled, as a remedy for asthma. Catnip, familiarly associated with a tea for babies, is described as a common weed naturalized from Europe. It is noted for its quieting effect on the nervous system. Boneset is another familiar plant in many households, the leaves and tops of which form an old and popular remedy in the treatment of fever and ague. Pennyroyal, aside from its value as an aromatic stimulent, has an odor which is very repulsive to insects, and is therefore much used for keeping away mosquitoes and other troublesome insects.

Among the other plants, not in such common use, mentioned, are foxglove, gum plant, bugleweed, balmony and skullcap. Tansy, wormwood, fireweed and fleabane are described as furnishing useful oils.

MUSICIANS PROFIT BY PHONOGRAPH.

[Popular Mechanics Magazine.]

If Caruso, the great tenor, happens to lose his voice or become incapacitated because of such illness as has kept him off the operatic stage the last half of two seasons, he will feel consoled by the knowledge that his royalties from a phonograph company will exceed $100,000 a year for many years to come; while Madame Tetrazzini is grateful that the same company refused to pay her $1,000 five years ago for the very same effort that they are now paying her $35,000 a year for. Then the diva was willing to take the lower figure outright for her records, but a year ago she demanded a bonus of $25,000 besides the royalties, and she got it.

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IN FILLING CITY OFFICES.

There are many offices to be filled by the Representative Council this evening, and the cases where there are not more than one candidate will be rare. Upon general principles it is well for the members to have a choice of men, but it should be fully understood that the situation is not always so simple as it may seem to be, nor are the candidates or their supporters necessarily so innocent of ulterior motives as may appear. As a general thing, a man having filled an office honestly and efficiently, the fact should weigh much among reasons for his retention.

It is well known that there are a few official positions where a man of necessity must make enemies if he performs his duties faithfully and impartially. These enemies will do their work this evening, and it will be well if members inform themselves so far as may be as to what the opposing candidates stand for. If this cannot be learned with a considerable degree of certainty it will probably be safe to cast a ballot for the re-election of the present incumbent in any particular case. To allow a faithful and efficient public servant to be punished for doing his duty is neither fair to the man nor good policy for the city.

In cases where an official's enemies are out for his scalp, they are generally better organized than are those who desire to secure his re-election. It is well for a member to have some knowledge of the situation before casting his ballot, or he may be betrayed into doing what he really does not desire to do.

MOSLEM TAX COLLECTING.

Despatches from Persia have been too meagre to give any details of Shuster's administration of the finances, but it is quite clear from the urgency of various cities that he should remain, and the stoutness with which the medjliss, or assembly, stood by Shuster when the cabinet recognized the necessity of yielding to Russia, that the people were favorable to the American. People have never been very ardent admirers of tax gatherers and in Asiatic countries, especially under Moslem governments, such an official is deemed the worst enemy of mankind. We may infer that Shuster's methods of collecting taxes were an improvement upon those of the native Persian officers.

What those methods are no one needs to be told who has lived in a Moslem country. Others can obtain a pretty fair idea from a recent article in the Atlantic Monthly under the general title of "Helping to Govern India," specifically describing a visit to a nawab. In the course of the conversation the nawab was asked what he regarded as the chief result of the British occupation, and said it was the fact that every man knew precisely how much taxes he had to pay. He described the method of tax collecting in the Mogul empire, which is precisely that which prevails to this day in all Moslem countries, unless very recently and as the result of revolutionary movements in the direction of liberalism Occidental methods have been introduced in Turkey and Persia.

The right of collecting taxes from a city or a province is sold to the highest bidder, or more probably given to the man who offers the largest bribe, or it may be given as a present to a court favorite. Then the troops of the king are put at the disposal of the tax collector and the government cares nothing about what he does so long as he turns over the sum agreed upon. The troops are billeted on the towns, flogging and prison are resorted to, and the tax collector extorts every penny he can, turns over to the government no more than he must and keeps the difference. This is probably the way taxes were collected in Persia until the American treasurer-general arrived, and we may assume that he instituted civilized and humane tax collecting and therefore the people of Persia held him as long as they could.

NO FARMERS' CORNER IN COTTON.

The New York broker who proposed to raise $50,000,000 with which to finance a bull movement in cotton for the benefit of the growers has announced the abandonment of his plans for this season at least, but asks the growers to think over his plan and see if it was not a good one, with the implication that at a more opportune moment he may propose it again. He explains that it is dropped now because too many persons it looked too much like a sort of manipulation of the market such as the farmers have been habitually denouncing, though he adds that his plan was quite different and should not have been misconstrued.

The truth, however, is that Colonel Thompson's proposed operation in cotton does not differ in principle or methods from the bull movement of a few years ago by Scully, except that Scully was working for the financial benefit of himself and his associates. As it was notorious that he was forcing up prices the growers advanced their figures, and it is not at all certain that they did not benefit as much from the corner operated by Scully for himself as they would by one operated by Thompson for their benefit and only incidentally for his own profit. Thompson said he had the assurance of $50,000,000 from bankers and was going to advance to the farmers $25 a bale on their cotton, so that they would be under no necessity of selling, and the cotton would be sold from time to time when the desired price could be obtained.

There was, however, one fundamental difference between the corner Scully managed and the one Thompson proposed. Scully was merely taking advantage of a short crop, when the normal demand must send prices up, and his corner prospered for a time and only collapsed because he undertook to send prices higher than even a short crop would justify. This year the crop is the biggest ever picked and Thompson proposed to send prices up when the excessive supply was forcing them down. Therefore it is open to suspicion that he was obliged to abandon his plan because capitalists would not advance $50,000,000 to bull prices against the commercial law of gravity.

The anthracite coal operators and miners in Pennsylvania are preparing for a strike when the present contract expires, March 31. The men will demand a 20 per cent increase in wages, an eight-hour instead of a nine-hour day, payment for coal mined by weight instead of by carload, the abolition of the conciliation board, the recognition of the union, the collection by the companies of the union dues from the employes and some minor concessions. It is not expected that the operators will make any answer to these demands for two months, and in the meantime both operators and miners will prepare for a long struggle.

Julius Harburger, the new sheriff of New York county, has made a stir in political circles by offering appointments as deputy sheriffs to eight women, prominent in various phases of social work in the city—Mrs. Oliver H. P. Belmont, Mrs. Clarence H. Mackay, Miss Helen Gould, Mrs. James Lees Laidlaw, Mrs. Isaac L. Rice, Mrs. Nordica Young, Miss Anne Morgan and Miss Inez Milholland. It is quite probable that several of these will accept, in which event we shall see what they will do.

The new marriage license law went into effect in Massachusetts today. Hereafter any one from outside the state wishing to be married in Massachusetts must have a license taken out five days before the ceremony can take place. In Rhode Island such notice must be given only by the woman, so that the Massachusetts law is even more stringent than that in this state.

The objection to the appointment of Judge Hook of Kansas as a member of the United States Supreme Court is that as judge of the circuit court he declared a two-cent railroad fare to be confiscatory in two cases, one in Oklahoma and one in Minnesota. It was apparently a fair and sound decision and should not be regarded as a sufficient reason against promotion.

The claim of the manufacturers that the cost of making shoes has been increased is disputed by many of the workers, who say that by the introduction of machinery the expense has actually been reduced at least 10 cents a pair, and that not only are the operatives receiving better wages, but the manufacturers have steadily grown more wealthy.

According to a Chicago newspaper there were 33 lynchings in the United States last year, against 47 in 1910 and 57 in 1909. The decrease, particularly in southern states, was due largely to the efforts been made by governors and prominent citizens in the past few years against mob rule. Here's a sign that the world is growing better.

Clark Burdick, grandfather of the newly chosen chairman of the Representative Council, and one of Newport's most sturdy and valuable citizens, was president of the town council when Newport ceased to be a town and became a city in 1853, George H. Calvert being chosen mayor.

It begins to look very much as if the Australian tennis players were really better than America's best. To beat Larned and Wright is a hard thing to do.

The past year has been a good one in the business world. While there was no boom, there has been a steadily growth, which is better than a boom.

Let us hope Mayor Boyle will give the city of Newport this year the best administration it has ever had during his long term of service.

May the new year be to all one of greater opportunities and greater achievements.

It wasn't a green New Year's any way.

UTILIZING CACTUS LEAVES.

Luther Burbank Proposes to Make Whitewash, Paint and Motor Tires from the Mucilage.

Luther Burbank announces that he has discovered processes whereby he can use the leaves of the cactus plant in manufacturing whitewash, paint, automobile tires and print paper. The declaration of the horticulturist which, it is declared, means the revolutionizing of many industries and the utilization of the desert wastes of America, was made before a session of the California Fruit Growers' Association in Santa Rosa, Cal.

The plant from which these wonderful results can be obtained is known as the spineless cactus. "One leaf of the plant," said Mr. Burbank, "will make ten gallons of paint. The mucilage of the cactus leaf will not dissolve in water but I have discovered that it will dissolve in alcohol. On this account oil coloring matter can readily be mixed with the mucilage and is handled easily.

"I am not as far advanced in my experiments with the cactus leaf as a paint product as I am with its possibilities as a whitewash, but nevertheless I am sure of its practical value. One of the greatest points about the whitewash made from cactus leaves is its waterproof qualities, and that alone will make it worthy of consideration. I am now negotiating with an Eastern corporation to use this cactus leaf whitewash."

When Mr. Burbank had reached this point in his talk before the congress he had every delegate crowding forward toward the platform, taking notes and firing questions at him. But the excitement then was nothing compared to the interest manifest when he announced that, after the mucilage had been taken from the cactus leaves for the whitewash and paint, the fibre could be converted into print paper and automobile tires.

The fibre of the spineless plant is excellent as a substitute for rubber used in the present tires, says the horticulturist, and he declares his belief that it would make tires far more durable. The same properties which will make it valuable as a rubber substitute, he says, would make it invaluable in parts of the country where the wood pulp was hard to obtain for the making of paper.

There are hundreds of species of cactus, and in some the tubes are so highly developed and succulent that they are eaten in certain localities. The plants flourish in the dry regions of the United States owing to the thickness of their skins and the paucity of evaporating pores, which enables them to retain moisture. Recently scientists have been experimenting with the spineless species, and have developed it into a nutritious food for cattle.

IRELAND WITHOUT LANDLORDS.

[London Contemporary Review.]

Walking in Tipperary one afternoon, we entered the house of one of the new purchasing tenants, and asked for tea. It was a comfortable, substantial dwelling, such as might do credit to a well-to-do English farmer, and we were entertained with the best of fare—home made bread and cakes, Indian tea and excellent jam. Our courteous hostesses, mother and daughter, refused to accept a farthing for this hospitality. They talked to us with a freedom and independence that would have done credit to a French proprietor.

There, in that little picture, multiplied by several hundred thousand, you have the best evidence of the work of land purchase for the people. Looking back, I compare it to the cringing tenants of the past, or to the silent, suspicious, precarious occupier of many an English homestead.

What has produced the change in the Irish purchaser? Why, a terror has passed from their lives—the terror of the land agent and the bailiff, of the landlord himself if he were ever visible. Landlordism has gone from these districts, and its departure is like the removal of a great social and moral blight. A cloud has passed away, and the people breathe again. It is the best preparation for a free nation.

JAMESTOWN.

[Regular correspondence of The News.]

The first real snowstorm of the season started early Sunday morning and although it turned to rain about noon enough had fallen to cover the ground to the depth of two or three inches.

A slight change in the ferry schedule went into effect today, besides an advance in the team tariff.

Mr. B. S. Cottrell, who has been guest of his mother Mrs. Ellen Cottrell, left today for New York.

Miss Jessie Brown is visiting relatives in Middleboro, Mass.

Rev. and Mrs. C. D. Burrows left Sunday on their way to spend a month on their houseboat on Indian river, Florida.

Miss Clarke of Jewett City is guest of Miss Alice Cottrell on Brooks street.

Miss Lucy Gardner, who has been guest at the Carr homestead during the holidays, has left for New York.

Miss Abbie Carr is visiting relatives in Shannock.

THEOLOGY VS. RELIGION.

[Ohio State Journal.]

It is a common observation of those who speak lightly of religion that all the good lessons and doctrines of Christianity were in vogue before Christ. This suggestion was made to Wendell Phillips once, when he answered: "From Confucius to Cicero there is light enough, but no heat." The intellectual lacked the spiritual, and religion is a combination of both. People who mistake theology for religion might as well fall back on Grecian or Persian philosophy. Men easily disagree on principles, which are usually intellectual, but they are apt to agree upon duties which belong to the heart. Men will dispute at length over a point in some creed, but let a blind beggar come along and they will stop disputing and unite in helping the beggar.

More and more men are leaving their discussions upon doctrine and agreeing upon this proposition—that the most acceptable worship of God is the help one gives to a brother.

AROUND RHODE ISLAND.

Massachusetts Right of Way for Boston & Providence Electric Railroad.

Transfer of Interests in Providence Base Ball Club—Last Session of Circuit Court.

The Massachusetts Railway Commission has granted a right of way in that state to the Boston & Providence Interurban Electric Railroad Company. The right of way in Massachusetts leaves the road with a location near Attleboro, from which point it will come into Rhode Island. To secure a location in Rhode Island will require an act of the General Assembly and it is stated that the company may make such application at the coming session. Leaving Boston the route is through Hyde Park, Dedham, Westwood, Canton, Norwood, Sharon, Foxboro, Mansfield, North Attleboro and Attleboro to the state boundary. The Boston & Providence Interurban Electric Railroad Company is the first highspeed interurban company to have a route in Massachusetts under the law of 1906.

Frank J. Navin and William H. Yawley, owners of the Detroit club, announce the sale of a quarter interest in the Providence International League base ball club, which they recently acquired, to Frank R. Van Dusen of Detroit, Mr. Van Dusen has been appointed president and treasurer of the Providence Base Ball Company and will leave in about a week for the East to take up his residence in Providence. The newly appointed official will make his debut in base ball when he takes charge of the Crays. For a number of years he was engaged in the insurance business in Detroit, retiring a short time ago for a rest. He has the reputation of being an astute business man and is an excellent "mixer," which will stand him in good stead in his new position. Mr. Navin announced that another quarter interest is divided between Jennings and Cobb, while the remainder of the stock is held by Mr. Yawley and himself. Mr. Van Dusen will combine the function of treasurer with that of president, while Business Manager Reilly, the incumbent, will be retained for the present at least.

Sessions of the United States circuit court reached a final termination in Providence Saturday. Under an act of Congress approved March 3, 1911, courts of this character are abolished January 1, 1912. Judge Arthur L. Brown opened the session for the last time. There was no business for consideration, as for some time past every effort has been put forth to clear the docket in anticipation of the abolition of the court and the transfer of its operations to the United States district court under the law. For that reason proceedings were more or less perfunctory and court was immediately closed. The session of the United States district court was immediately opened and the usual grist of Saturday naturalization cases was taken up and considered. Naturalization cases formerly were passed upon by the circuit court, but these recently have been directed to the district court in order that there would be less detail in clearing the circuit court docket during the final stages of its existence. As clerk of the United States circuit court Mr. Cross this morning formally transferred to himself as clerk of the United States district court the books, docket and documents of the United States circuit court. That completes the ceremony and the circuit court has become merely a memory.

The plant of the Consumers' Rubber Company in Bristol shut down at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon at a moment's notice, the work being left on the benches or in the vulcanizing machines. The shut-down was the result of an order of the court. The men, about 400, dropped whatever they were doing, under orders, and walked out of the plant. A decree was entered in the superior court Saturday before Presiding Justice Tanner in connection with the rubber company's affairs, and the shutdown was the result, it is stated. It will continue until the hearing Wednesday on the petition for the appointment of a permanent receiver. On petition of Terrence McCarty and two other stockholders named Leahy and Murphy, respectively, the court appointed last Tuesday George H. Kelley of Providence as temporary receiver, with power to continue the business. Saturday the court modified the former decree and revoked the temporary receiver's authority to run the plant. Bond was also fixed at $20,000, which surety the receiver must furnish. This action of the court was taken upon representations from some of the creditors.

Surrounded by nearly 100 employes of the Adams and Earle & Prew express companies, amid the roar of trains and trucks on the main floor of the express office at the Union station, Providence, Saturday afternoon, Henry Prew, for 45 years actively identified with the express business in Providence and Boston, was made the recipient of a loving cup by the men who have served under him, in observance of his retirement. Sunday Mr. Prew terminated his active business career and retired to private life. The presentation of the cup was made by John Whipple of Boston, who was the first driver in the employ of Mr. Prew. Joshua Greene, the first messenger between Mansfield and Boston under Mr. Prew, and George B. Warren, agent at Bristol, and J. W. Seabury of Pawtucket, were also present.

Following the precedent established a year ago, the Rumford Chemical Works Saturday made each of its employes who had been with the corporation for two years or more a New Year's present of a certain percentage of his yearly salary in gold. More than 300 of the employes of both the Providence and Rumford branches of the concern were included. While no direct information was forthcoming, it is understood that the amounts received by the employes were in the neighborhood of five per cent of their yearly wages. The action of the corporation came as a surprise to the employes, for although the gifts were made a year ago nothing was said at the time which would lead them to think the procedure would be followed this year.

Congressman George H. Utter of Westerly and his two sons, George B. and Henry E. Utter, have filed articles of association with Secretary of State Parker incorporating the Westerly Sun, under the name of The Utter Company. The capital stock is given as $50,000. The company will continue to run the paper.

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W. A. COGGESHALL, Cashier.
Newport, R. I., December 20, 1911.

NEW YEAR'S AT THE Y. M. C. A. BUILDING.

The Young Men's Christian Association is observing New Year's day with open house, the bowling alleys, pool, billiard, reading and social rooms being thrown open today to visitors, of whom there has been a fair number all day. The program prepared for this evening should prove entertaining, as the talent comprises Miss Mary E. Leonard, soprano; Mr. Otto James, pianist, and Mr. Warren G. Richards, humorist. Light refreshments will be served.

This evening the enlisted men of the Army and Navy Young Men's Christian Association are to have a New Year's entertainment under the auspices of the physical department, in which the talent will be made up of soldiers and sailors exclusively. Selections will be rendered by the army and navy quartet, composed of Messrs. Vincent, Poole, Sedgwick and Andrews, interspersed with instrumental music. Afterwards there will be a gymnastic exhibition on parallel bars, by a team composed of Messrs. Sergerson, Conover, Lineberger, Cuife, Rico and Livingston.

A SERVANT SEVENTY YEARS IN ONE FAMILY.

[London Chronicle.]

Probably few people in England can claim a record such as that of Miss Sophie Groom of Watford, who has been in the service of one family in one house for 70 years. She has never desired any other employers, has never longed to see the world, and although now 84 years of age, she has never had a week's holiday in her life.

As a scholar at the Baptist Sunday School she went to the seaside or to the Crystal Palace on the annual treats, but these are believed to have been the only holidays she ever had. At no time has she spent a single night away from Watford.

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N. UNDERWOOD, Cashier.
December 26, 1911.

OFFICE OF
The Newport Gas Light Co.
Newport, R. I.
STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.
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THE WEATHER.

BOSTON, Jan. 1.—Forecast for Boston and vicinity—Fair tonight and Tuesday; colder tonight; moderate, westerly winds.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

The weather remains cloudy over most of the eastern portion of the country, with light snow flurries at scattered points in the Lake region and rain along the South Atlantic coast. The centre of the disturbance in the Lake region yesterday has moved eastward to Halifax, Nova Scotia. The pressure is high and the weather fair and cold in the central valleys and the Northwest, but light precipitation has been reported during the past 24 hours at many northwestern stations. In New York at 8 a. m. the temperature was 34, Boston 34, Washington 38, Jacksonville 56, St. Louis 14, Chicago 8, St. Paul 14 below zero, Des Moines 6 below; Kansas City 8, Denver 8, San Francisco 46 and Portland, Ore. 28.

J. W. Smith,
Forecast Official.

LOCAL CONDITIONS.

	8 h	12 h	2 h
Temperature	34	37	38
Barometer	29.25	Rising	—
Wind	N W	N W	N W
Weather	Fair	Fair	Fair

MINIATURE CALENDAR.

Monday, January 1.
Sun rises 7 12, Sun sets 4 25.
Moon sets 3 51 a. m.
Length of day 9 hours 13 minutes.
Day's increase 3 minutes.
High water 4 25 a. m., 4 54 p. m.

Tuesday, January 2.
Sun rises 7 12, Sun sets 4 26.
Moon sets 5 08, p. m.
Length of day 9 hours 14 minutes.
Day's increase 4 minutes.
High water 5 19 a. m., 5 48 p. m.

Wednesday, January 3.
Sun rises 7 12, Sun sets 4 26.
Moon sets 6 26 a. m.
Length of day 9 hours 14 minutes.
Day's increase 4 minutes.
High water 6 12 a. m., 6 40 p. m.

Moon's Phases.
Full moon Jan. 4th 8 26 a. m.
Last quarter Jan. 11th 2 40 a. m.
New moon Jan. 19th 6 07 a. m.
First quarter Jan. 27th 3 48 a. m.

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DIED.

MURPHY—In this city, 1st inst., at his residence, Bellevue avenue, Michael Murphy, aged 73 years.

LATHAN—In this city, 1st inst., at his residence, 24 Hall avenue, Gratton C., son of Mary and the late Benjamin R. Lathan, aged 38 years.

DAHLGREN—In this city, Wednesday, Dec. 27, 1911, Annie Rutherford Morgan, daughter of the late Rev. William P. Morgan, D. D., and widow of Paul Dahlgren.

Funeral services at St. Mary's Church, South Portsmouth, R. I., Tuesday, Jan. 2, at 3 P. M.

ARMINGTON—In Providence, 30th ult., William W. Armington, in his 80th year.

BELLEISLE—In Providence, 30th ult., Beatrice, wife of Joseph T. Belleisle, in her 43th year.

GARDINER—In Providence, 31st ult., Salfera Fry, widow of George Hazard Gardiner, in her 69th year.

HALSTEAD—In Providence, 30th ult., Mary A. (Jerome), widow of Charles H. Halstead.

NYE—In Providence, 31st ult., William P. Nye, in his 66th year.

BOWEN—In Riverside, 30th ult., Sarah M., widow of Rubin Bowen, in her 85th year.

CAPRON—In East Providence, 31st ult., Margaret, widow of George Capron, in her 75th year.

HUNTER—In Pawtucket, 31st ult., Mary A., widow of James Hunter, in her 89th year.

KNIGHT—In Harris, 30th ult., Eliza A., widow of Benoni C. Knight, in her 83d year.

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The annual meeting of the stockholders of this bank, for the election of directors and the transaction of such other business as may be legally brought before the meeting, will be held at its banking house, on Tuesday, January 9, 1912, at eleven o'clock A. M.

THOS. B. CONGDON,
Cashier.
Newport, R. I., December 11, 1911.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the National Exchange Bank,

For the election of Directors for the ensuing year, and for such other business that may properly come before said meeting, will be held at their Banking Rooms, Tuesday, January 9th, 1912, at three o'clock P. M.

GEORGE H. PROUD, Cashier.
Newport, R. I., Dec. 12th, 1911.

National Exchange Bank.

DIVIDEND NO. 93.

A Semi-Annual Dividend at the rate of eight per cent per annum will be paid to the Stockholders January 2nd, 1912.

GEORGE H. PROUD, Cashier.
Newport, R. I., Dec. 22, 1911.

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS.
NEWPORT, Sc.

Office of the Clerk of the Superior Court, December 23, 1911.

WHEREAS Angela D. Woodwood, Emmie Ruge and Mary Nicholson all of the City of Atlanta, State of Georgia, the heirs at law and next of kin of Emily E. Hurd late of said Newport, deceased, have entered in this Court their appeal and filed in this office their reasons of appeal from an order and decree of the Probate Court of the City of Newport entered on the 19th day of June A. D. 1911 in favor of Thomas B. Congdon administrator with the will annexed of the estate of Emily E. Hurd late of Newport deceased, of Newport in said County and State appellee, and of T. Amory DeBlois of the City of Boston in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts who appeared in the said Probate Court in support of said appellee in and by which the said Probate Court allowed the final account of the said Thomas B. Congdon administrator as aforesaid, and upon which appeal an order for citation and publication has been entered.

NOTICE is therefore hereby given to said Thomas B. Congdon and T. Amory DeBlois and to all other persons having an interest in the subject matter of said appeal, to appear before the Superior Court in Newport on **Wednesday, the third day of January A. D. 1912** at 11:15 o'clock A. M., in Newport County Court House, and show cause if any they have why the prayer of said appeal should not be granted.

SYDNEY D. HARVEY,
Clerk.

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ATWOOD PLUNGED INTO ICY WATERS.

Machine Collapses as He Tries to Leave Surface.

Efforts to Secure Aeroplane to Fly to Portland Without Results.

LYNN, Mass., Jan. 1.—Skimming over the surface of Lynn harbor in his hydro-aeroplane at the start of his proposed flight from the Point of Pines to Portland, Maine, today, Harry N. Atwood was plunged into the icy water when his machine suddenly collapsed. A moment later the aviator climbed back upon the aeroplane and sat on the upper plane, calmly waiting the arrival of friends in boats. As the boats drew alongside the partly submerged aeroplane the machine sank into 10 feet of water and Atwood was lifted into the nearest boat. Although he was uninjured, Atwod decided that it would be impossible for him to make the flight to Portland today.

It had been his plan to start on the trip of approximately 100 miles to Portland about 10 o'clock. Favored by almost ideal weather he trundled his hydro-aeroplane into the open, started the engine and flew to the Point of Pines. Then the wheels on the air craft were detached and the pontoon were fixed in thir place. While this was being done, a crowd had gathered to watch the start. When all the arrangements had been completed the engine was started and the hydro-aeroplane was launched on the surface of the harbor.

After the customary 200 or 300 yards had been coverod Atwood attempted to leave the surface, but as he turned into the wind a little water struck the magneto of the machine and the engine stopped immediately. Then the aviator in an attempt to maintain his equilibrium tried to head the machine into the wind. As he did so the rudder of the hydroplane struck the water, and the machine collapsed. Atwood climbed on top of the aeroplane and waved his hat to his friends on shore. In a few moments several boats were headed in his direction. As the nearest one approached the aeroplane sank from view and Atwood was pulled on board, suffering from the ducking in the icy water, but otherwise uninjured.

The hyrdo-aeroplane sank in to about 10 feet of water and was badly damaged, in the opinion of the aviator. Attempts to raise the machine were made this afternoon. The accident made it necessary for Atwood to postpone his attempt to fly to Portland. First he thought he could make arrangements to make the flight this afternoon, but within a short time he decided that it would be an impossibility.

Several hundred thousand people were disappointed by the accident. It had been the aviator's intention to skirt the coast from this point to Portland and all along the way great crowds had gathered to see the aviator pass.

After securing a change of clothing Atwood started preparation to make the flight this afternoon if possible. He telephoned to Portland to see if the crowd was still waiting for him, and then tried to make arrangements to secure another aeroplane. Atwood said that he was feeling no bad effects from his unexpected bath.

Atwood's efforts to secure a machine from a local aeroplane company were without results and he found it necessary to give up his idea of flying to Portland today.

BARCLAY'S SUCCESSOR.

President Daniel Howard Inaugurated as Chief Executive of Liberia.

MONVORIA, Liberia, Jan. 1.—President Daniel Howard was inaugurated today as chief executive of the republic of Liberia, succeeding President Barclay, who for eight years has occupied the office. The ceermony was marked by much dignity. A procession, headed by the members of the legislature, escorded President Howard to the chamber of representatives. Here the new president, after taking the oath, read his inaugural address in which he set forth his ideas on reform and announced several schemes for the development of the country.

He made special reference to the present political situation of Liberia and its relations to the great powers and said the uncertainty of the past had given way to the positive assurance that Liberia's integrity would remain intact. The president expressed satisfaction that the protracted negotiations in connection with the finances of the country had been brought to a conclusion, owing to the sympathetic interest displayed by the United States, Great Britain and the other prominent powers.

The ceremony was made the occasion of a great festival. Crowds of citizens came from all parts to greet their new president and Monrovia was full of life and color. Many natives of various tribes came from the interior, their primitive garb contrasting strongly with that of the women of the city, who were dressed in Arabian costumes of vari-colored silks.

The militia was mobilized in full force, but except for lining the route of the presidential procession their services were not called into requisition.

STOKES RESTING EASILY.

Surgeons Not Contemplating Another Operation.

NEW YORK, Jan. 1.—A member of W. E. D. Stokes's household denied this morning that surgeons were contemplating removing one of Mr. Stokes's kidneys, as had been reported necessary because of complications subsequent to his recent illness. Mr. Stokes was resting easily it was said, and there was no prospect of an operation unless he had a turn for the worse.

PROTESTS SENT TO TAFT.

Opposition to Hook as Associate Justice of Supreme Court.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 1.—Protests against the appointment of United States Circuit Judge Hook as an associate justice of the Supreme Court have been received by President Taft from the Oklahoma corporation commission; the Minnesota warehouse commission, and Governor Aldrich of Nebraska. Opposition to the elevation of Judge Hook is based upon his action in enjoining the Oklahoma authorities from enforcing a two-cent railroad rate law.

The President has referred the protests to the Department of Justice. He has intimated that he will not make the appointment until after the return of Attorney General Wickersham from Panama January 11.

GOING TO SAN DIEGO, CAL.

Naval Aviators, Who Have Been Experimenting at Annapolis, to Continue Operations.

Lieutenants John Rodgers, T. G. Ellyson and J. H. Towers and Ensign Victor D. Herbster, comprising the staff of United States naval aviators who have been experimenting at Annapolis in the use of flying craft in connection with naval operations, will leave for San Diego, Cal., Wednesday. The air craft of the Wright and Curtiss types are being packed and will be shipped on the same day.

The work at San Diego will be along the same lines as that which has been undertaken at Annapolis, except that the proximity of the Pacific fleet will make it more practicable to experiment in making flights from the decks of ships and also in returning to them, using both the Curtiss hydro-aero plane and the Wright aeroplane, with the Burgess hydroplane attachment.

It is expected that all of the aviators who go to San Diego will return to Annapolis in the spring. They will be joined by other younger officers of the navy, who are ambitious to become air-men.

TO RECEIVE A CALL.

Rev. Dr. Quick Notified by Telegraph of Message Coming from Greenville, S. C., Baptist Church.

Sunday evening Rev. George W. Quick, D. D., of the Second Baptist Church received a telegram from Greenville, S. C., informing him that the First Baptist Church of that place was extending a call to him which would arrive here in due time. Dr. Quick says that until the call arrives he dos not care to say anything, for he knows little about the matter. He today expressed surprise at having had an opportunity of reading the fact that he had received the call in a morning paper, since when the telegram arrived he confided its contents only to his wife. He also stated it as his opinion that the contents of a telegram are intended only for the person to whom it is addressed.

The church here has of course taken no action, as there has not been time for an official notice that any action on their part will be necessary. Dr. Quick came here in 1905, after the resignation of Dr. Beckley, and it has been during his pastorate that the Second and Central Baptist churches united; in fact, the move was largely through his efforts. He is well liked by his parishioners and it would be with regret that they would learn that he had received a call which he would feel it desirable to accept.

MICHAEL MURPHY.

Death of the Last of the Old-Time Bellevue Avenue Gardeners, at the Whitney Estate.

The last of the old-time gardeners of Bellevue avenue has passed away—Michael Murphy of Harry P. Whitney's place. For 46 years he was in charge of that estate, having given satisfaction to the Frenches, P. W. Phinney, John Knower and the present owner, as in the order named they have been the owners of the property, just opposite Bancroft Avenue.

Mr. Murphy was a native of Queenstown, Ireland, and arrived in this country 58 or 59 years ago, coming directly to Newport. A faithful employe, a good father and a warm friend to those who had the pleasure of his acquaintance, he lived at his place of employment, a quiet, conscientious citizen who was not known broadly about the city because he did not have time to go about much. His work was his hobby, and while the estate is not so large as some he made an effort to the end to keep it in the best possible condition, even if it has not been occupied by the family much of late.

With his wife and two daughters he lived in the gardener's lodge and looked after the welfare of the house as well as the grounds when the family were absent. He leaves four sons—John H. Murphy, assistant foreman of Hose 3; Thomas J. Murphy, hoseman of Steamer 1; James A. Murphy and William F. Murphy, all of whom are natives of Newport.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

—Captain J. P. Cotton has returned from a 10 days' visit to New York, Philadelphia and Atlantic City.

—Miss Gertrude Haas, soprano, has resigned her position at the Thames Street Methodist Episcopal Church.

—During the blow Friday the tide was so low that dredger Denver became stranded and was unable to work.

—The fruit stand in the courtway alongside the Red Men's building was on the move today, as the lease expired and could not be renewed.

—Mr. and Mrs. William B. Franklin are in Germany, with their daughter, Miss Susan B. Franklin, who is pursuing advanced studies in that country.

—Mrs. Christian B. Nelson has returned from Denmark after spending several months at her home in Grensa and a visit to friends in Copenhagen.

—William Ferry of Fort Adams had a narraw escape from drowning this morning, while skating on a pond. He was rescued by Ray Harrison and Peter Conway.

—Mrs. William H. Millington, Miss Marion S. Millington and Mr. Arthur Sampson of Plymouth, Mass., who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. James W. Millington, have returned home.

—In addition to the candidates already announced for city offices, the names of Michael F. Murphy for building inspector, Robert E. Gordon for license commissioner and J. Frank Albro for city auditor are mentioned.

—A series of Wednesday afternoon roller skating parties has been inaugurated by the officers at the Training Station and their wives. The auditorium in Barracks B is utilized for the sport, with Philip B. Ring as instructor.

—According to its long established custom, the United Congregational Church held its New Year's sunrise prayer meeting this morning. There were about the usual number present and hearty New Year's greetings were exchanged.

—The Boston navy yard has had the time for completion of repairs to the Vesuvius extended to February 15, from the first of February. The engines are to be lined up, in addition to overhauling the under water tube, but the overhauling of the compressors will be left to be done here upon her return to the Torpedo station.

—The funeral of George H. Tew took place Sunday afternoon from the Belmont Memorial Church and was conducted by Rev. W. J. Swafffield, who officiated during the day at the First Baptist Church. The interment was in the family lot in the Island cemetery, beside the grave of his father, General George W. Tew. The bearers were Joseph E. Lawton, John J. Lynch, John Larsson, Arnold H. James, Benjamin Cull and Benjamin Lawton.

CLARK BURDICK CHAIRMAN.

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livan moved that the council take a recess to fill all vacancies.

Chairman Burdick read the resignation of William B. Franklin of the Third ward, which was accepted. A recess of 10 minutes was then taken to fill the two vacancies.

There was known to be quite a contest in the Fifth ward and the members of that delegation went to the city clerk's office, where it was found there were six candidates. It took 23 instead of 10 minutes to untangle the snarl and elect Jeremiah F. Donovan, who stood No. 14 at the election in December.

John R. Austin was unanimously elected to fill the vacancy in the Third ward.

Before the Council re-assembled Dr. Rabinson came in and was sworn. Then the reports from the two wards were received. Dr. Barker for the Third and M. A. Sullivan for the Fifth making the announcements, and the elections were confirmed by the Council. Mr. Donovan was present and was sworn.

Nominations for city clerk were called for. But one name was offered, the present incumbent, Francis N. Fullerton. The deputy city clerk was authorized to cast a ballot for him and he was elected.

At this point a recess until 3 o'clock was suggested, but he chair said the mayor and Board of Aldermen were waiting.

The city messenger then announced Mayor Boyle and the members of the Board of Aldermen, who took their places. Mayor Boyle escorting the chaplain, Rev. Dr. Doran.

Chairman Burdick administered the oath to Mayor Boyle, who in turn administered the oath to the members of the board. Prayer was then offered by Rev. Dr. Doran and Mayor Boyle then read his inaugural adress, which was applauded at the close. It is as follows:

To the Honorable the Representative Council and the Honorable Board of Aldermen:

Through the courtesy of the city treasurer I am able to submit the following statement of the city finances at the close of the fiscal year:

Amount of bonded indebtedness	$1,042,000.00
Amount of outstanding Notes	50,000.00
Amount unpaid coupons	470.00
Gross debt	$1,092,470.00
Amount of revenue from all sources, including loans,	$922,777.62
Amount of expenditures	953,073.12
Cash in hand at close of fiscal year, 1911,	31,273.30
Cash in treasury, January 1, 1911, approximately	41,000.00
Amount of annual appropriations	711,262.25
Amount of extra appropriations	9,711.34

During the past year a payment of $11,000 was made on account of outstanding notes. As no bonds matured this year there has been no reduction in the bonded indebtedness.

It may be surprising to you to learn that our expenditures have exceeded our revenues by approximately $15,000, as having had in hand at the beginning of the year $41,000 we find that the balance remaining is slightly in excess of $31,000, and in view of the fact that the amount of bills payable is reasonably certain to aggregate $5,000 we will be obliged this year to begin hiring money earlier in order to meet our obligations, which action will entail the payment of a larger amount of interest.

The Commissioners of the Sinking Funds, under the direction and with the advice of your officials and financeing chairman, have now invested practically the entire funds in high-class bonds and have consequently thereby not only improved our financial standing but have also broadened the city's outside field of credit.

Public Utilities.

At a meeting of your honorable body, held in March of the past year, you gave your endorsement to an act which had been introduced in the General Assembly of this state by a member of this council, the Hon. John B. Sullivan, who is also a member of the General Assembly. This act, known as the "public utilities act," has for its purpose the regulation of all public service corporations and as it is apparent that the passage of such an act would operate to the advantage of the community, giving as it does the power to the different municipalities which they do not now possess, I would recommend that your honorable body again endorse the act and appoint a committee to appear before the legislature in favor of its passage.

Washington Street Boulevard.

The progress attending the opening of the proposed boulevard has been regrettably slow owing to the many legal complications which have arisen and are now awaiting adjudication by the courts. The delays caused by these complications have emanated mostly from sources which apparently have but little interest in the advancement of this important project, the completion of which means so much to the interest and future of Newport.

The Secretary of the Navy has shown a most generous spirit of co-operation in the matter by offering to construct a large section of the boulevard, which action ought to have the appreciation of every citizen of Newport—an appreciation sufficient to bury every selfish interest. In the hope that the matter may be decided favorably to the city, the Representative Council should be seasonably prepared to act in conjunction with the government in the construction of the boulevard.

Playgrounds.

In a former inaugural address I advocated the purchase by the city of land to be used for playground purposes. I understand a petition is to be presented to you along this line, reciting the necessity for the same, owing to the large, growing and prospective government institutions located and soon to be located here.

Within the past decade, as you are all aware, the growth of Newport as a naval centre has been a phenomenal one. Where, but approximately 15 years ago, the old gymnasium was ample to house all the apprentice boys who came to the Training Station, since then magnificent structures have been erected for their accomodation and at times there are as may as 2,000 young men at the station. At the Torpedo Station the development has been one of marked proportions and I am informed that there are now 500 skilled mechanics employed there, all of whom are residents of this city and contributing to its prosperity.

Lately it has been announced that it is the intention of the naval officials to establish in Narragansett bay a naval station equal to any in the world. As opposition to the selection of this site has arisen in other parts of the country, I would recommend that your Honorable Body, by resolution, express your interest in this matter and also urge the representatives of Rhode Island in Congress to use their best endeavors to secure for Newport this

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ALL FRIENDLY TO THE CAUSE.

The Year 1911 Productive of More Educational Legislation Than Ever.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 1.—"Without question the year 1911 was productive of more educational legislation of value than any previous year in the history of the nation," says James C. Boykin, editor of the United States bureau of education, in a forthcoming government monograph. Mr. Boykin declares that the 43 state legislatures in session during the year, practically without exception, were friendly to the cause of public education. He notes also the largest developments of the year, the beginning of a movement to lengthen the school terms by reducing the number of holidays and says that salaries of teachers are showing a tendency to rise, with prospects growing steadily brighter for retirement on living annuities when usefulness is past.

BUSY NEW YEAR'S DAY.

La Follette Has Full Program Planned in Michigan.

DETROIT, Mich., Jan. 1.—With his departure from Detroit at 8:30 o'clock this morning, after a restful night at his hotel, Senator Robert M. La Follette of Wisconsin, who is in Michigan for a three days' speaking tour, looked to a busy New Year's day. The first set speech in the Michigan campaign was scheduled for 11 a. m., at Flint, following which the itinerary calls for addresses in Bay City in the afternoon and Saginaw at night. Tentative plans had been made for an address here last night, but these could not be carried out and the Senator is expected to return to Detroit to make a speech probably in April. Members of La Follette's party say the Senator is greatly pleased with the reception given him in President Taft's own state of Ohio last week.

SECOND STATE TO ADOPT LAW.

Textile Mills in Massachusetts on 54 Hours a Week Schedule.

FALL RIVER, Mass., Jan. 1.—Every textile mill in Massachusetts running on full time and operating on a schedule of 54 hours a week, in compliance with a new state law which compels all textile plants employing women and children to run the machinery no longer than the number of hours weekly, Massachusetts is the second state to adopt such a law, California having led the way. As some of the mills have been operating in full for a year or more, the change will not have marked effect at this time.

In this city, supposing the mills were being operated at their full capacity, the new law will cost the cloth mills in production 16,000 pieces or 800,000 yards a week, or approximately 800,000 pieces or 40,000,000 yards a year. The loss in production of the yarn and thread mills will be 9,000 pounds a week, or nearly 500,000 pounds a year. An equal loss throughout the state will help materially to cut down the unprofitable excess product.

A running schedule, mutually satisfactory to both manufacturers and operatives, has been agreed upon for use in the 54-hour week. The mills will run from 6:45 a. m. to noon, and from 1 p. m. to 5:30 p. m. five days a week, and from 6:45 a. m. to noon, Saturdays. Several mills have been operating under the schedule for two or three months.

The loss to the operatives here will be $11,000 weekly, figured on a total capacity basis. On the same basis the reduction of the output figures 3.57 per cent.

FROM "THE MAN IN IRON."

Rev. Frank W. Sandford Extends Season's Greetings to Newspaper Man.

PORTLAND, Maine, Jan. 1.—Describing himself as "The man in iron," and sending a line about his feelings after serving ten days of his ten years' sentence in the federal prison at Atlanta, Rev. Frank W. Sandford of the Holy Ghost and Us Society has written a local newspaper man, extending the compliments of the season to representatives of the press. The letter, received today, was as follows:

"Just a line to wish you the compliments of the season—righteousness, usefulness and prosperity to the representatives of the press in my native state through Him that loved us and gave Himself for us.

"From the man in iron,

"F. Weston Sandford."

"P. S. It may interest you to know that I am full of faith and hope and courage and good cheer. The death of Christ was not in vain, I assure you."

DESIGNER OF AN AIRSHIP.

Sir Francis Bacon Inventor as Well as Writer of Plays.

DETROIT, Mich., Jan. 1.—Following closely on the announcement of Dr. Orville W. Owen, that his researches in England for proof that Francis Bacon wrote the plays of William Shakespeare are fast nearing completion, comes the allegation of the doctor that Sir Francis is the inventor, or at least the designer of an airship.

"We haven't discovered the airship," said the doctor yesterday, "but we have found descriptions of one in our excavations in the river Wye, which are undoubtedly the work of the man whom we are certain is the author of the plays attributed to Shakespeare, and he of course, is Sir Francis Bacon."

"When do you intend to make these plans or descriptions public?" the doctor was asked.

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BARON HOLDS WIFE'S SHARE.

Baroness de Graffenried Cannot Recover Half-Interest in Property After Divorce.

The appellate division of the New York supreme court has decided that the marriage and divorce laws of Switzerland and other foreign countries do not affect contracts made and recorded in this country and affecting New York city real estate. The decision simplifies matters for the real estate brokers and title insurance companies, representatives of which began to take a lively interest when Gertrude Van Cortlandt, Baroness de Graffenried, asked that her ex-husband, Baron Raoul de Graffenried, be compelled to turn back to her a half interest in certain property, because of a certain law in Switzerland, where she secured her divorce.

The baron and baroness were married in Paris, France, April 17, 1901. In 1903 she bought some New York city real estate and deeded her husband a half interest in it. In 1908 the baron sued for divorce and she brought counter suit in Geneva, Switzerland. She won and obtained a decree. She then brought suit to recover the half interest she had given her husband, under deeds filed in the register's office, New York county, under a Swiss law providing that on a wife's divorce she must be re-endowed with all property she gave the husband during their marriage. The baron demurred to this proposition, unique in the history of the courts of New York, but was overruled in special term of the supreme court. He then took the case to the appellate division.

Baroness de Graffenreid was formerly the wife of Cohuyler Hamilton, and for many years occupied a summer residence on Harrison avenue. Last summer she and her daughter occupied the Sterner cottage on Gibbs avenue.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

—Commander and Mrs. Charles L. Hussey have returned from a visit to New York.

—The public and parochial schools will re-open Tuesday, after the Christmas holidays.

—Mr. Howland A. Gibson left Sunday evening to spend New Year's with Rev. R. B. Pomroy in New York.

—Mrs. Stuyvesant Fish entertained a large party at her Madison avenue residence in New York on New Year's eve.

—Messrs. Harold and William Dillon left Saturday night to spend New Year's with relatives in New York.

—Rev. S. C. Hughes is confined to his home by illness. The services at Trinity Church Sunday were in charge of Rev. W. R. Essex.

—Mr. and Mrs. James G. Blaine, 3d., have returned to Providence after a visit to Mrs. Blaine's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dow, in Boston.

—Mrs. William G. Weld is planning a trip to Europe for a part of the winter. She has been at her Boston house since closing her Newport residence.

—Father Coyle of Baltimore, who was recently attached to St. Mary's Church, was a visitor here last week during his Christmas vacation home.

—Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Colford Jones, Jr., gave a dinner Sunday evening at "Claraden Court," to celebrate the fourth anniversary of their marriage.

—Torpedo boat destroyer Trippe, which convoyed the Ammen back to Charleston, S. C., last week, has joined the other boats of the fourth torpedo division at the Torpedo Station.

—The New York Times prints a good portrait of Rear Admiral Chadwick, U. S. N., in a panel with Andrew Carnegie, among prominent people attending the funeral of John Bigelow.

—Around 2,000,000 letters are received every year at the Training Station and a considerably larger number of pieces of mail, including picture postal cards, are sent out by the apprentices and others attached to the Station.

—Today, the Feast of the Circumcision, was a holy day in the Catholic churches and masses were said at the usual holiday hours, with large congregations. At St. Mary's Sunday evening the vesper service of Christmas was sung.

—Mrs. Hamilton McK. Twombly and Miss Ruth Twombly will return to New York this week from a two weeks' stay in Canada and will give a large dinner at their New York residence Friday evening, their first formal entertainment after a long period of mourning.

—Echoes of the storm continue to drift in. Freighter Portsmouth of the Seacomet line lost her rudder in the blow. The blowing off of a shed roof at Almy's dock put many wires out of commission in this city. The wire condition locally must have been much worse than acknowledged.

—Mrs. Archibald Gourlay Thacher had a family reunion for New Year's eve at her residence in New York, her guests including Mrs. Thacher's father, Julian P. Davies; her uncles, Frederick Townsend Martin and Howard Townsend Martin; her brother, Frederick Martin Davies, and the latter's wife.

—Mr. William Barclay, manager of "Glen Farm," who is now in Europe, will visit Scotland to select some of the big Clydesdale horses which Mr. H. A. C. Taylor has decided to breed. He will also visit the island of Guernsey and secure a bull to add to the stock of Guernseys. A new breeding stable of stone has recently been built at the farm for the breeding of the big Clydesdales.

—The new car for the Training Station route arrived at Beiste Ferry on the Sunday freight. Preparations had been made in advance for unloading by the arrangement of blocking and a run from the spur track across to the rails of the Providence road. Two trucks were hauled out to the ferry and the car was mounted on these and brought in to the carbarn, where it is now being wired. It will be running by Friday, and perhaps before.

—It has been announced that an appropriation bill carrying $30,000 for the repairs to the Stone Bridge draw will be introduced at an early day in the legislature, and possibly in anticipation thereof Terry's lighter Archer was at work at the draw Sunday. The Archer lay with her stern in the draw opening and a diver was down, apparently examining the present conditions of the under-water section. It may be that his report will be such that the cars can run before repairs are made.

—Mrs. Arthur Scott Burden, Mrs. Payne Whitney, Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt, Jr., Mrs. Auster Gray and Mrs. Arthur Iselin are among the most active members of the committee in charge of the annual costume ball for charity at Sherry's, New York, on the night of January 11. The patronesses comprise Mrs. Vanderbilt, Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt, Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, Mrs. Ogden Mills, Mrs. Charles T. Barney, Mrs. I. Townsend Burden, Mrs. Robert Goelet, Mrs. W. Pierson Hamilton, Mrs. William Douglas Sloane and Mrs. John Turner Atterbury.

NEW YEAR PLANS THE SAME.

President's Reception and Diplomatic Breakfast Fixed Functions.

Senators Who Were Representatives and Governors—How Cummins Remembers Faces.

[Washington Correspondence of The News.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—The first of every year is pretty much the same in Washington. There are certain fixed functions, and they must come off as sure as the sun rises and some important personage does not drop dead. There is the reception at the White House attended by every government official in the federal service, including the army, navy, marine corps and other officers in uniform and such Senators and Representatives as feel disposed to pay their respects to the President.

Then there is a breakfast by the Secretary of State to the diplomatic corps. It's really a luncheon, but we in Washington call it a breakfast. In the late afternoon calls are made at all the cabinet houses, the Speaker's home and perhaps upon a few other officials. There are a few would-be society people who try to make something out of New Year's calls, but outside of official life there are no real New Year's receptions, as was the custom 20 years ago.

Thirty-one Senators, or a fraction more than one-third of the Senate, formerly served in the House. They are: Bankhead, Alabama; Brandegee, Connecticut; Cullom and Lorimer, Illinois; Shively, Indiana; Curtis, Kansas; Paynter, Kentucky; Rayner, Maryland; Lodge, Massachusetts; Smith and Townsend, Michigan; Nelson, Minnesota; Williams, Mississippi; Stone, Missouri; Dixon, Montana; Hitchcock, Nebraska; Newlands, Nevada; Gallinger, New Hampshire; Gronna, North Dakota; Burton, Ohio; Gamble, South Dakota; Simmons, North Carolina; Bailey, Texas; Sutherland, Utah; Swanson, Virginia; Jones and Poindexter, Washington; La Follette and Stephenson, Wisconsin; Clark, Wyoming; Taylor, Tennessee. When New Mexico sends Andrews and Arizona sends Mark Smith to the Senate there will be two additional members of this list.

There are 21 Senators who were former governors of their states. They are Clarke and Davis, Arkansas; Perkins, California; Smith, Georgia; Cullom, Illinois; Cummins, Iowa; Bradley, Kentucky; Foster, Louisiana; Crane, Massachusetts; Nelson, Minnesota; Stone, Missouri; Wetmore, Rhode Island; Tillman, South Carolina; Crawford, South Dakota; Taylor, Tennessee; Culberson, Texas; Dillingham and Page, Vermont; Swanson, Virginia; La Follette, Wisconsin; Warren, Wyoming. It will be noticed that Cullom, Stone, Taylor, Swanson, and La Follette are in both lists.

During the discussion of the eight-hour law in the House Minority Leader Mann explained how he had changed his mind. "There was a time," he said, "when I did not think eight hours was long enough for men to work, but I have changed my mind. I have a garden at home that I use for exercise, and the use of a spade or a hoe there for an hour or two convinced me of the justice of the eight-hour law."

Luxuries are said to exist in the Senate office building, and I rather think they have things pretty nice over there. They have two finely appointed kitchens, and one of them was recently put in use, Senator Burton having luncheon cooked there and entertaining the Ohio delegation when it declared for President Taft.

"They point to the office building as an extravagance," remarked Senator McCumber of North Dakota. "Why, that building will stand for a hundred years and be useful all the time. Four like it could be built for the cost of one battleship not lasting 10 years.

The Department of Agriculture employs more college men than any other in the government. The forestry bureau in this department and the bureau of standards in the Commerce Department have the largest proportion of college men. The library of Congress also has a large number of college men, about 99 per cent, it is said, of the employes.

Senator Cummins of Iowa makes a great effort to remember the names and faces of every one he has met. Not long ago he entered the clerk's office of the Supreme Court and greeted the clerk and assistants by name.

"Now, that's a remarkable thing," remarked the clerk, James McKinney. "Senator Cummins never saw me but once that I know of, and that was two years ago. Yet he called me by name when he saw me."

"Senator Cummins knows me, too," said the colored man at the door, who overheard the clerk's remark. "He done had me tell him who you all was and point you all out at the deb' hefo' he come in."

Arthur W. Dunn.

THE DESTROYED MANUSCRIPT

[Bookman.]

We dined in the courtyard of l'Ideo and talked more literature. "Do you know," asked Wilde, "who destroyed the manuscript of Carlyle's 'French Revolution'?" "The servant of John Stuart Mill," I replied, as informed by biographies. "It was finer than that," said he. "It was Mrs. Mill. She read it and saw at once that if it was published the first name in nineteenth century English literature could not be John Stuart Mill. It would be Carlyle. Think of it. What servant could destroy the manuscript of a whole volume in lighting a kitchen fire? She could only burn a few pages at a time and be found out long before the end. No, it was Mrs. Mill. But her heroism was wasted. She had not reckoned on Carlyle's marvelous memory. How great he was! He made history a song for the first time in our language. He was our English Tacitus."

He spoke with enthusiasm of Dickens—Micawber, Pecksniff, Mrs. Gamp flitted before us. "There have been no such grotesques since the Gothic gargoyles," he said, and he quoted the passage in Martin Chuzzlewit which compares the rusty gowns and other garments hanging from Sarah Gamp's bed to "guardian angels" watching her in her sleep.

He spoke with affectionate amusement of Mr. J. B. Yeats, Sr. "Do you know how he became a painter? It was so simple and natural. He was a thriving barrister, when one day he came down to breakfast and said: 'Children, I am tired of the law, and shall become a painter.' They said, 'Papa is going to be a painter,' and were quite happy."

"Could he paint?" I asked.

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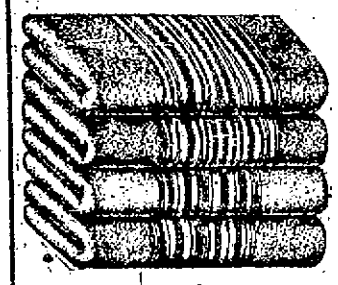

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To the Editor of the Daily News:

The information that a new building—and that, too, of brick—is to be erected on Thames street at its worst and narrowest point, and that a new building is to go up on Long wharf at about the point where there should be a fine new railroad station, or at least a broad approach to such a station, ought to set citizens who really have a concern for the city's welfare and improvement to thinking.

Some time ago it was pointed out that the old City Hall should be rescued from its present degradation (for which the city is receiving a meagre rental of about $600) and get well back from Thames street and Long wharf, so that both these cramped and crowded thoroughfares might be broadened, thus doing the city's part to encourage the building of the much dreamed of "new depot." It was only reasonable to expect that buildings would go up, which would make difficult, if not work the entire defeat of, any attempt to improve these principal thoroughfares. Now comes the tidings that buildings are contemplated, and what is the city going to do? Dream on?

Now is the time to act. Are there any public-spirited citizens of enterprise and executive ability who will rise to this occasion? What is the reason that this crying need of the city is left to cry and cry in vain? Once citizens raised a fund for this very object, but "echo answers where" as to any tangible results of their efforts. The late William E. Dennis was keen for the improvement and said if there was no other way to have it go by his brick building he would "blow it up." Other good citizens in the vicinity were ready to co-operate and give land.

The advantages of a broad sidewalk, as seen near the Colonial Theatre and at some other places in town, may, it is to be hoped, so appeal to the owners of the new brick building that they will set it far enough back (having empty space in the rear) to allow for a good sidewalk and the widening of the street beside; but the city should now do its duty and at least widen from Long wharf past the new building. Possibly Mr. Dennis and others would join, if a start were made. Don't let this valuable opportunity be lost! It might pass forever.

W. I. N.

Newport, Dec. 30, 1911.

ORDERS TO NAVAL OFFICERS.

The Navy Department has announced the following orders to officers:

Commander G. R. Evans, ordered to duty as a member of the board of inspection of shore stations.

Lieutenant A. C. Hickins, detached from the naval proving ground, Indian Head, Md., and ordered to duty as assistant to the inspector of powder for the east coast, at Jersey City.

Lieutenants John Rodgers, T. G. Ellyson and J. H. Towers and Ensign T. D. Herbster, detached from duty at Annapolis and ordered to aviation duty at North Island, San Diego, Cal.

Lieutenant (junior grade) R. S. Crenshaw, detached from duty on the Virginia and ordered to the Celtic as navigator.

Surgeon F. L. Benton, detached from the Idaho and ordered to the Maine.

Surgeon J. E. Thompson, detached from the Maine and ordered to the naval station, Guantanamo, Cuba.

Passed Assistant Surgeon W. S. Hoen, detached from the naval station, Guantanamo, and ordered to the Idaho.

Chief Carpenter O. Barth, detached from the navy yard, Charleston, S. C., and ordered to the naval station, Washington, for treatment.

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THE RECORD OF 1911.

[Continued from Third Page.]

F. Geisler returned to the local Methodist Episcopal churches.

4—Francis C. Van Horn died.

5—Mrs. Mary Fitch fatally burned at her home on Holland street. John P. Hammond resigned from the Park Commission. Republicans of Middletown successful in town election. George E. Houghton, former Newporter, died in Warner, N. H.

6—Benjamin Irwin found dead on State street. Board of Aldermen appointed a committee to confer with Gas company regarding quality and price of gas. Father Mathew Society gave dinner to its basket ball team.

7—Hall & Dyon opened their new store.

9—Newport had a five-inch fall of snow.

10—Rev. Friedolf Soderman appointed pastor of the Swedish Methodist Episcopal Church.

11—Excelsior Lodge of Odd Fellows entertained United Brothers Lodge of Bristol.

12—Representative Council committee on police station site selected the Jurgens property, a minority of the committee voting in favor of the Moorcroft estate.

13—James McLeish appointed park commissioner. William B. Hudson died.

14—George Peabody died. Chief Machinist's Mate John E. Carlson fatally crushed at the Torpedo Station.

15—Poor boxes at St. Joseph's Church broken and robbed. Thames Street Methodist Episcopal Church purchased the Rudolph house on Church street for a parsonage.

16—Trinity and the United Congregational churches re-opened after being re-decorated and re-furnished. Contract for new St. Joseph's Church awarded. Mary H., widow of Elijah Macomber, died, 85.

17—Company F Association observed fiftieth anniversary of departure for the war, with 16 survivors present. Rev. Edward E. Wells appointed pastor of Middletown Methodist Episcopal Church. Representative Council failed to select site for new police station. Postmaster Albert C. Landers died. Former State Senator Frank Littlefield of New Shoreham arrested for murder.

18—Reception to Bishop Perry at Trinity guild hall.

19—Fire damaged Michael Stoneman's Thames Street store. St. Joseph's basket ball team, winner in the City League, entertained at complimentary dinner.

20—Sarah H., wife of Amon Parmenter, died, 86.

21—Robert S. Burlingame appointed postmaster.

22—St. Augustin's parish cut off from St. Mary's.

23—Mary E., widow of William B. Smith, died, 85.

24—Long established house of Augustus Goffe & Son announced its retirement. Marjorie Hobbs, daughter of Pay Director and Mrs. I. Goodwin Hobbs, married to Ezra Gould. Newport Artillery held its anniversary dinner.

25—Commander George W. Williams ordered to command the Torpedo Station, relieving Commander Mark L. Bristol. Cold storage property sold at receiver's sale. Elizabeth C. Tinney died, 81. Mrs. John B. Cogswell, native of Newport, died in Providence, 82.

26—Demetrios Damaskus blown from the cabin of his fishing boat by a gasoline explosion. Mrs. Mary C., widow of Benjamin J. Tilley, died, 85. General Assembly passed bill giving Board of Health authority over milk and meat supplies in Newport. Representative Council passed traffic ordinance.

27—Board of Aldermen ordered inquiry into legal status of Gas company, rights of the city and lower rates.

29—Abby T., widow of Daniel G. Goddard, formerly of Newport, died in Weymouth, Mass., 73.

30—Henry H. Congdon, native of Newport, died in Bristol, 69.

May.

1—Superior court issued a decree ordering All Saints Chapel to be sold. Andrew T. Loughlin appointed superintendent of hacks. Joseph W. Sherman, a native of Newport, died in Westfield, N. J., 85.

2—Catherine Ray Turner died.

3—Chief Machinist's Mate Edward Lathrop of Newport died at Guantanamo.

7—Rev. Martin F. Reddy, appointed pastor of St. Augustin's Church, preached his last sermon at St. Mary's.

8—Body of Thomas Hamilton found near the Forty Steps. Atlantic City Club of Newport Lodge of Elks gave first minstrel performance at the Opera House.

9—William P. Carr appointed collector of customs. Daniel Lyman Hazard died, 89. Colonel Thomas Wentworth Higginson died in Cambridge.

10—Philip M. Rhinelander, former Newporter, elected bishop coadjutor of the Diocese of Pennsylvania.

11—Tiverton Stone Bridge closed to electric cars.

12—Mary, widow of George W. Perkins, died, 80.

13—Memorial to Philander Shaw unveiled in Channing Memorial Church. Services at St. Augustin's Church opened in temporary quarters.

15—Captain John A. McDonald, of steamer Conanicut, died in Jamestown.

16—Ladd house practically destroyed by fire. William Paine Sheffield elected chairman of the Representative Council.

17—Governor Pothier vetoed many appropriation bills. William S. Hazard qualified as inspector of meat.

19—Mary E., widow of George P. Leonard, died, 70. Third fire in the Marsh grain elevator. Mianetuck Tennis Club started.

20—Girls' Friendly Societies of Rhode Island guests of the Club of Emmanuel Church.

21—Jewish cemetery of the Congregation Jeshuat Israel dedicated. Mrs. Josiah P. Cooke, a long-time summer resident, died in Boston. Margaret, widow of Bernard Gill, died, 96.

23—French cruiser D'Estrees arrives in the harbor. One thousand barrels of scup landed at Newport. Francis Wayland Smith of Middletown died at the Newport Hospital. Sarah M. Tompkins died, 72.

24—Sixtieth session of the New England Annual Conference of the African Methodist Episcopal Church opened.

24—Twenty-fourth annual session of Great Council of Rhode Island, of Red Men, met in Newport.

27—The T. T. Pitman Corporation organized. Flagship Connecticut of the battle fleet arrived in the bay. Catch of 25,000 mackerel landed.

28—Rev. G. A. Hulbert preached annual memorial sermon to the Grand Army. William L. Weaver died 73. Rev. T. Wellington Henderson, D. D., appointed pastor of the Mt. Zion African Methodist Episcopal Church.

29—Complaint against Frank Littlefield discontinued in the district court.

30—Memorial day exercises; sailors from the battleships the feature of the parade.

31—William S. Slocum retired from the treasurership of the Newport Water Works after 29 years of service.

June.

1—Rear Admiral Hugo Osterhaus assumed command of the Atlantic fleet in Newport harbor. Officers reported for the summer conference at the Naval War College. City Solicitor Sullivan declared that the Newport Gas Light Company is doing business illegally. Meadow Brook polo team won first game in series for the International cup.

2—Secretary of the Navy Meyer formally opened the Naval War College conference. Republicans of Jamestown defeated members of the town council for re-nomination.

4—George H. Wilbar died. William H. Green died, 77. Rev. T. W. Henderson, D. D., preached first sermon as pastor of the Mt. Zion African Methodist Episcopal Church.

5—Tax assessors announced the assessment for the year, at the rate of $12.30 with a total of $50,810,700. Saunders Ferry Company petitioned into bankruptcy. Representative H. Livingston Beeckman injured in an automobile accident in France.

6—Movement started to prevent John R. Caswell from building over the sidewalk on Thames street.

8—Work on Caswell building allowed to proceed, the city to bring suit.

9—Meadow Brooks won second international polo game. Jury awarded $1,000 damages against the Titus Company.

10—Newport citizens inspected the works of the Rhode Island Coal Company.

11—Rev. William L. Essex, assistant at Trinity Church, ordained in New York.

12—Henry W. Clarke retired from the principalship of the Lenthal school and Clarence A. Carr elected in his place. Colonel John Millis ordered to take charge of engineer office in Newport. House on Edgar court struck by lightning. Margaret, wife of Patrick Devlin, died, 86.

13—Rev. Harold M. Kingsley accepted call to the pastorate of the Union Congregational Church.

14—George W. Flagg died.

15—Joseph L. Sullivan, former Newporter, fatally burned at Dover, N. J.

16—Pocasset Lodge, Knights of Pythias, visited Redwood Lodge. Oscar E. Peabody died.

17—Worcester Continentals visited Newport as guests of the Newport Artillery.

18—Charles G. Weld, summer resident, died in Boston.

19—All Saints Chapel sold. Marines ordered detached from the Naval Training Station. Charles P. Austin died.

21—Rev. John A. O'Rourke appointed assistant to Rev. Father Reddy of St. Augustin's Church. General Society of the Cincinnati opened its triennial meeting in this city. Jamestown held its annual town meeting, regulars and bolters dividing contested positions. George E. Tayer died, 74.

22—Two hundred and ten pupils graduated from the ninth grade schools. Banquet given by the General Society of the Cincinnati at the Casino Theatre.

23—Class of 43 graduated from the Rogers High School. Lively gasoline fire in the harbor. General meeting of the Cincinnati adjourned. Class of 27 graduated from St. Mary's school.

24—Phineas C. Clarke, fireman of engine company No. 5, resigned after 55 years of service in the department. T. T. Pitman entertained in honor of his business anniversary.

25—Joseph L. Sullivan died of his injuries.

26—Rev. and Mrs. W. F. Geisler observed tenth anniversary of their wedding.

27—William H. Harvey died, 80. Rev. Harold M. Kingsley given a welcome reception. Charles H. Tilley, a native of Newport, died in Providence. Sarah Stanley Wyman died, 77.

28—Daniel B. Fearing received honorary degree of master of arts from Harvard College.

30—Aviator Atwood flew over Narragansett bay, giving Newport its first sight of an airship. William Cutting, Jr., summer resident, died in Paris.

July.

1—Commander P. W. Hourigan, commandant of the Naval Training Station, retired.

2—St. Mark's Church, Jamestown, dedicated.

3—Mrs. Mary Grant, an aged invalid, fatally burned in a fire on West street.

4—Fourth of July celebrated with parade, sports, fireworks and band concerts. St. Augustin's Church held a lawn fete.

5—Fire damaged the Brunn cottage.

6—Driver Stephen H. Sullivan of Combination 2 died. Board of Aldermen ordered merry-go-round replaced at the beach.

7—Newport visited by a lively thunder storm, several places being struck by lightning. Stillman Saunders died.

8—Two men killed by a rock slip at the Portsmouth coal mines.

9—Newport Lodge of Elks left for Atlantic City. Rev. Father Reddy presented with a sum of money by his former parishioners at St. Mary's Church. Frank E. Abbott died.

9—Thomas Willer Hazard, native of Newport, died at Elizabeth, N. J.

11—Mary, widow of John Steele, died, 96.

12—Miss Caroline A. Freeborn died, 82. Newport Elks won first prize in competitive drill at Atlantic City. Reception given to Rev. T. Wellington Henderson, D. D., at the Mt. Zion African Methodist Episcopal Church.

14—Twelve torpedo boat destroyers arrived.

15—Naval Reserves left on week's cruise at sea.

16—Assistant Secretary Miller of the Army and Navy Young Men's Christian Association resigned.

18—Mrs. James P. McCarthy fatally burned by a kerosene fire. William D. Chase seriously injured by a runaway accident at Easton's beach.

21—Scout cruiser Chester left Newport under hurry orders for Hayti.

22—Naval Reserves returned from tour of sea duty on battleship Michigan.

24—Rainfall broke a threatened drought. Superior court condemned land in Portsmouth for extension of water works. Mrs. John P. Newell died, 72.

25—Barge Brilliant sunk in channel off Castle Hill. William Rogers Morgan died. Residents of Touro Park West protested against new fountain.

26—Mrs. Alvin A. Barker died.

27—Board of Aldermen held hearing on Easton's beach improvements. Fishing steamer William A. Wells struck by stray shell from Fort Greble.

28—Fall of 2¼ inches of rain in less than 18 hours.

29—Garden Fete for Aquidneck Cottage Industries held on lawn of the Wetmore estate, "Chateau-sur-Mer."

30—Crew of four of fishing schooner Nokomis, wrecked off South Shoals light, brought to Newport.

August.

1—Engagement of John Jacob Astor to Miss Madeline Talmage Force announced. Contract awarded for the new St. Augustin's Church.

2—Lawn fete for St. Clare Home opened at the Griswold estate.

3—Newporters left for Point of Pines to make a clambake for 5,000 excursionists with the "Ad" men. Captain William L. Rodgers selected for president of the Naval War College.

4—Dominico del Ercuse drowned while bathing at Cherry Neck, J.

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THE RECORD OF 1911.

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Gottlieb Spingler died, 86. Permanent Society of summer and permanent residents proposed.

6—Rev. Edward A. Johnson, D. D., resigned as pastor of the First Baptist John Clarke Memorial Church. Mrs. Oliver H. P. Belmont entertained the "farmerettes" from her Long Island school at "Marble House." Ground broken for new St. Augustin's Church. Charles J. Moore, former Newporter, died in Woonsocket.

7—Engagement of Miss Mildred Sherman to Lord Camoys of England formally announced. Aldermanic committee on Easton's beach returned from visits to Coney Island, Atlantic City and other places.

8—New York Yacht Club arrived on its annual cruise. Abram A. Brown, former representative and state senator from Middletown, died.

9—Elopement of Miss Julia French and John Edward Geraghty reported. Sunshine Society held lawn party on the grounds of the Taggart estate. Daniel F. Sullivan died.

10—Margaret Cope Buffum, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William P. Buffum, married to Charles Carter Walbridge at Jamestown. Astor cups won by schooner Westward and sloop Avenger. Aldermen accepted new fountain on Touro Park. Mrs. Cynthia A. Mumford, native of Newport, died in Providence, 83.

11—Sloop Enchantress won King's cup. Yachts illuminated. George W. Fisher died. First Baptist Church accepted resignation of Rev. Edward A. Johnson.

12—Steamer New Shoreham's cylinder head blew out at Block Island. Dog Show held at the Casino. George G. Barlow died, 75. Schooner Karina won the Brenton's Reef cup, finishing off Newport.

13—Steamer Beaver Tail broke her shaft.

14—Polo season opened in Newport.

15—Rev. Harold M. Kingsley ordained and installed as pastor of the Union Congregational Church.

17—Rear Admiral Seaton Schroeder retired on board the Connecticut in Newport harbor.

18—Stuart Duncan of New York purchased the Kemp property on Harrison avenue. Arthur Curtiss James bought the Duryea estate on Beacon Hill. T. Suffern Tailer purchased the polo lot.

19—Rev. George H. Hines appointed assistant at St. Mary's Church.

21—Atlantic City Club gave complimentary dinner to Exalted Ruler John D. Walsh of Newport Lodge of Elks.

22—National lawn tennis tournament opened. Little and Touchard won the doubles championship, defeating Alexander and Hackett.

23—Power house at Reginald C. Vanderbilt's farm destroyed by fire.

25—Sarah Elizabeth Durfee died, 84.

26—Hunt estate on Bellevue avenue purchased by J. K. Sullivan. Mr. and Mrs. Leonard M. Thomas gave a costume dance at the Golf Club. Sergeant Peter Scott died in New Bedford.

27—Corner-stone of the new St. Joseph's Church laid by Vicar General Thomas F. Doran. German cruiser Bremen arrived.

28—Edward W. Shaw died. Fire in the Cappucilli building on Spring street threatened the lives of the occupants.

29—R. Horace Gallatin purchased the Schermerhorn estate on Narragansett avenue. Hall & Lyon store made a sub-postal station.

30—Newport citizens offered cup for the tennis players.

31—Stuart Duncan purchased the Henry White estate. Aldermen ordered work begun on the road through the King parkway. William C. Anthony died, 61.

September.

1—Seven days' storm ended, with a total rainfall of 6.34 inches.

2—Block Island celebrated its two hundred and fiftieth anniversary. M. E. McLoughlin defeated Beals C. Wright in the all comers' match in the national lawn tennis tournament.

3—Harry Jackson drowned at Easton's beach. Bruen estate sold for $55,500 to J. C. Rogers of Boston.

4—Labor Day. Fifteenth exhibition of the Newport Horse Show opened at the Casino. W. A. Larned successfully defended his championship title in the national lawn tennis tournament.

6—Announcement that Rev E. A. Johnson, D. D., declined to marry John Jacob Astor and Miss Madeline T. Force. Mary A., widow of Andrew T. Wood, died, 79.

7—Fete for the Army and Navy Young Men's Christian Association opened on the Griswold estate.

8—Chief Master-at-Arms William H. Knobelsdorf died at the naval hospital.

9—John Jacob Astor and Madeline Talmadge Force married at "Beechwood" by Rev. Joseph Lambert of Providence. "Pygmalion and Galatea" given on the George Gordon King estate for the Girls Friendly Society.

10—John Gilpin died. Mary C., widow of William Bacon, died, 85.

11—Schools re-opened after the summer vacation. School Committee accepted resignations of three teachers and elected new teachers.

12—Irving Watson, well known Rhode Island newspaper man, died at the Butler Hospital. Board of Aldermen approved changes in roadway on Ocean avenue at Marsden J. Perry's.

13—Gustaf Hermanson, sailor on a dredger, drowned in the harbor.

14—Smith Block on Broadway burned. George D. Widener purchased the C. M. Bell estate, Bellevue avenue. Newport Improvement Association formed. Margaret, widow of Dennis Donnelly, died, 85.

15—Patrick Fogarty, an old-time blacksmith, died. Harry Keys, steward of the Graves Point Fishing Club, died.

16—Pupils of the Lenthal, Coggeshall, Calvert and Cranston buildings gave exhibition of school gardens. William G. Bosworth died suddenly in bed. Civic League held annual meeting.

19—Temple Commandery, Knights Templar, arrived for a two days' visit as guests of Washington Commandery.

20—Captain Hugh L. Willoughby made trials with his hydro-aeroplane in the harbor.

22—Representative Council added four patrolmen to the police force and granted the policemen one day off in each month. George D. Widener purchased the Greene estate, adjoining the Bell property.

23—Overton G. Langley died. Mayor Boyle appointed four additional policemen. Maria, widow of Ludwig Frank, died, 82.

24—Vicar General Thomas F. Doran laid corner-stone of new St. Augustin's Church.

25—Ellen T., widow of Virgil T. Howard, died.

26—John J. Butler appointed a member of the Park Commission in place of Harford H. W. Powel, who declined a re-appointment.

27—The Hammett store on Thames street leased to the H. A. Bridge Company for a five, ten and 25-cent store.

2[illegible]—Postal savings bank opened in Newport. Engagement of Miss Gwendolin Burden to David Dows of New York announced. Policeman Edward H. Easton placed on the retired list and John F. Shea appointed in his place.

29—Chief Gunner's Mate George Cope found dead on his boat in the harbor.

October.

3—State Conference of Charities and Corrections opened two-day session. Board of fire inquest on Smith building disagreed.

4—Democrats nominated Lewis A. Waterman for governor.

6—New fountain, gift of the Humane Society, set up on Washington square. Mrs. William C. Rives gave land for widening Bath road. Mrs. T. J. Emery offered $1,000 for new schoolhouse in Middletown. Miss Edith A. Barber, retiring teacher of drawing, presented with a case of silver by other school teachers.

8—Captain Louis N. Stodder died at Brooklyn. Total Abstinence Societies of Newport, Fall River, Pawtucket and New Bedford paraded here.

9—Report of a big naval station in Narragansett bay made from Washington. Fletcher W. Lawton, Horace N. Hassard, Max Levy and Arthur Power nominated for representatives by the Republicans. School Committee took first steps towards a new building to replace the Clarke School.

10—Republicans nominated R. Livingston Beeckman for senator, John P. Sanborn withdrawing from the contest. Democrats nominated Philip A. Hayes, William E. Mumford, William H. Sisson, William A. Maher and John B. Sullivan for representatives.

11—Mrs. Theodore K. Gibbs and Newport Water Works gave land for widening of Bath road.

12—Columbus day observed as a legal holiday, with a parade of the Italian societies and the Knights of Columbus and a banquet by the Italians, fireworks and band concerts. Captain Benjamin L. Slocum, formerly of Newport, died at Springfield, Mass.

13—Jamestown Republicans nominated Alton Head for senator and Thomas G. Carr for representative. Farewell reception given to Captain and Mrs. P. W. Hourigan at the Training Station.

15—Middletown Republicans nominated Joel Peckham for senator and John H. Spooner for representative. William M. Cornwall selected for assistant secretary at the Young Men's Christian Association. Captain Hourigan retired from command of the Naval Training Station.

16—Democrats nominated George H. Wilmarth for senator. Middletown town council voted to submit to electors a proposition for a $10,000 schoolhouse.

18—Republicans nominated Governor Pothier for re-election. Proposition made to abolish Lime Rock light. Mary E. Ward died, 78.

19—Commander James H. Dayton assigned to the command of the Naval Training Station.

20—Work begun on the new parkway. George W. Jones died, 78.

21—Patrick H. Flinn died, 75. Steamer New Shoreham damaged in collision with steamer City of Fall River. Ida Lewis stricken with apoplexy.

22—Rebecca R., widow of Richard B. Wright, died.

24—Ida Lewis died at Lime Rock light.

25—Frederick P. Garrettson announced his candidacy for mayor. George R. Agassiz sent check for $350 for the Townsend and Coles schools.

26—John R. Manchester, one of the oldest residents of Middletown, died, 85. Indoor county fair opened at the Young Men's Christian Association. Senator George Peabody Wetmore reported ill with pneumonia at Panama. Board of Aldermen special committee reported on plans for improving Easton's beach.

[illegible]—Funeral of Ida Lewis largely attended by representative citizens; stores on Thames street closed during the service. William Ellery Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, celebrated its fifteenth anniversary.

29—Newport Italians organized a branch of the Sons of Columbus. Lee Hot, Chinese laundryman, found dead in his laundry.

30—Judge Blodgett sent the Boulevard case back for proper certification.

31—Miss Isadore Lull married to Warren Furber Gould at the Channing Church.

November.

1—Edward Jansen, appointed keeper of Lime Rock light.

2—Commander James H. Dayton assumed command of the Naval Training Station. City Solicitor Sullivan decided that aldermen in 1901 could not bind the city to pay for Easton's beach buildings beyond the $3,000 limit. Republicans ratified state ticket at dinner of Young Men's Republican Club.

3—Battleships of First and Second divisions of the Atlantic fleet arrived. appointment for West Point. Harold C. Warden received an alternate appointment for West Point.

4—Democrats ratified the state ticket in mass meeting. Maria Jones, widow of Edward D. Jones, died.

5—Memorial tablet to Bishop Clark dedicated at the Berkeley Chapel. St. Clare Home freed from debt. Amy T. Sherman, widow of Philip Sherman, died in Pawtucket.

6—Italian residents gave complimentary dinner to Professor Giroida of New York.

7—State election; Newport carried by large majority for the Republican candidates on the state ticket; Beeckman elected senator and Lawton, Hassard, Levy, Maher and Sullivan representatives. Middletown taxpayers disapproved the $10,000 schoolhouse proposition.

8—Alderman J. P. Mahoney took out papers for nomination for mayor. Representative Council refused to submit aldermen's plan for beach improvements to the taxpayers.

9—New ferryboat Inca for Naval Training Station launched at Bristol.

11—Pump for new Kay Street district sewerage system tested. Sarah Rogers, widow of Dr. Aretas A. Saunders, died, 82.

12—Newport visited by a short-lived gale, with thunder and lightning.

14—George L. Thayer, a former Newporter, died suddenly in New York. Public inspection of new sewerage system. J. A. Van Beuren of New York purchased "Sunnyfields Farm" in Middletown.

15—Louisiana crew won the Garrettson cup in cutter race. Connecticut football team defeated the Idahos for the Beeckman cup.

16—F. Cope Whitehouse, summer resident, died in New York.

17—Army and Navy Young Men's Christian Association building dedicated. New ladder dredger arrived for work in the harbor.

18—Battleships of the First squadron sailed for Norfolk in a fierce gale of wind.

20—Rear Admiral Raymond P. Rodgers relinquished the presidency of the Naval War College to Captain William L. Rodgers and the command of the Naval Station, Narragansett Bay, to Captain Albert Gleaves. Dr Fred J. Cotton, a former Newporter, exhibited a new anaesthetic to take the place of ether. Battleships of the Second squadron arrived.

21—Plans for a federation of religious forces inaugurated.

22—Burgess hydro-aeroplane arrived for trials.

23—A. Sterling Burgess successfully flew over Newport harbor. Deed transferring "Harbourview" from Mrs. F. O. French to Mrs. Ellen French Vanderbilt filed.

24—Robert C. Barry's stable on Edgar court burned. Agitation about the "howling dog," the steam dredger in the harbor, started. City Solicitor Sullivan filed brief in suit of the city against the Newport Water Works.

25—Miss Mildred Sherman married to Lord Camoys of England in New York, the ceremony being hastened by the severe illness of her father, W. Watts Sherman. Alderman Mahoney began his speaking campaign in behalf of his mayoralty candidacy.

26—Memorial tablet for Benjamin Mumford dedicated at the First Methodist Episcopal Church.

27—Representative Council voted to submit a proposition authorizing the expenditure of $30,000 for improvements to the beach. License commissioners granted the usual number of liquor licenses for the year.

28—Charles H. Ward, state senator and town treasurer of Middletown, died. Joshua Hammond died. T. Suffern Tailer purchased 87 acres of land near Ocean avenue, including the King farm. Senator Wetmore announced his determination to retire at the end of his present term. The Senator returned to Washington restored to health.

29—United States government paid $35,000 for the Hunter land on Third street, adjoining the naval hospital.

29—Mayor Boyle commenced his speaking campaign for the mayoralty.

30—Thanksgiving day. Union services at the Channing Memorial and St. George's churches. Charles Hyde died, 89.

December.

1—Wright-Burgess hydro-aeroplane sent back to Marblehead.

2—New five, ten and 25-cent store opened with a football rush of patrons. Frederick P. Garrettson stated his position in the mayoralty campaign in a letter in the newspapers. Clifton B. Ward elected town treasurer of Middletown to succeed his late father.

3—Newport Lodge of Elks held annual memorial service. Rev. H. Myreen, pastor of Swedish Lutheran Church, received call to a Quincy, Mass, church.

5—City election; Mayor Boyle re-elected. Thomas Blacklock, a veteran of the Civil war, died. Mortimer L. Sullivan, member of the Representative Council, died.

7—Ida Lewis Jansen born at Lime Rock. Second squadron of battleships sailed for home yards. Mrs John Austin Stevens died. Secretary Meyer announced plans for new naval base in Narragansett bay.

12—Hazard house on Broadway given by the heirs to the Rhode Island Society of the Cincinnati. George Cole Stevens, former Newporter, died at Oakland, Cal.

13—Island District Convention of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union opened at the Second Baptist Church. John H. Allman, former Newporter, died in Roxbury, Mass.

14—William O. Hathaway, died.

15—Counsel in boulevard case agreed on stipulations, submitting the case to the supreme court.

16—Roland O. Hammond, janitor of Potter school and veteran of the Civil war, died. Alfred G. Vanderbilt married at Reigate, Surrey, England, to Mrs. Margaret Emerson McKim.

17—John E. Seabury died, 87.

18—Auxiliary barkentine Aloha arrived to be laid up.

20—Rev. Edward Luke Reed called as curate of Emmanuel Church. Two men crushed to death in the Portsmouth coal mines.

21—Ex-Mayor Henry Bedlow celebrated his ninetieth birthday anniversary in New York.

22—President Taft favored new naval bases plan and announced his intention to send special message to Congress on the subject. Rev. William B. Meenan observed the thirty-third anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood. Julia, widow of Jeremiah Sullivan, died, 82.

23—Dr. C. F. Mohr purchased the Perry estate, "Montpelier," on Miantonomi avenue. G. M. Hutton purchased additional land adjoining his estate on Ridge road. Charles J. Schultz died. Electric lights went out, stopping business in dry goods stores district on Thames street.

25—Christmas day. Proprietors of the Colonial Theatre gave complimentary dinner to friends and employes.

26—John McElvie, engineer of steamer Plymouth, died. Board of Aldermen awarded damages in two suits for falls on sidewalks.

27—John D. Curran died. Plans filed for new building on the site of the Breese house, Thames street. Mrs. Paul Dahlgren died.

28—Agent George H. Mathews of the Adams Express Company notified of his promotion and transfer from Newport. A severe gale, rising at times to 80 miles an hour, visited Newport.

29—Announcement made of proposed retirement of Albert K. Sherman from business and erection of a new building on Thames street. Armour & Co, gave notice of intention to build a new plant on Long wharf. George H. Tew, a Newporter, died in Providence.

31—First snowfall of the winter, the ground being covered to the depth of three inches on the average.

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There is no necessity to specify the streets now requiring prompt and proper attention, as their condition must be plainly evident to you all.

Police Station.

It is to be regretted that no progress was made during the past year toward the building of a police station. It is needless to refer to the unsanitary condition and inadequate accomodations of the present station, as they have been the topic of the messages of the mayors and the chiefs of police for the past 20 years. Owing to the recent increase of the force conditions have become worse, and should be improved at the earliest possible moment. It seems to me, in view of the failure of the committees appointed by your honorable body, with no reflections on them that if the matter of the new police station were referred to the Board of Aldermen satisfactory results would follow, as the board holds frequent meetings and the members are paid for such duties, which I believe come properly within their jurisdiction.

Sidewalks.

There are many streets in all sections of the city, some of them long in use and built upon both sides, without granolithic sidewalks, as the numerous petitions presented to your honorable body will bear witness. I believe they should, in all fairness to the abutters who pay taxes, be given consideration, and that ample appropriation should be made to begin this work as early as the weather will permit.

These taxpayers, who have no sidewalks, not only suffer the inconvenience and discomforts resulting therefrom, but must also pay their share of the bonds which were issued for the construction of the sidewalks now in use which their more fortunate neighbors now enjoy.

These sidewalks comprise one of the wisest investments ever made by the city. They have proved of incalculable advantage and an annual systematic extension should be liberally provided for.

Harbor Dredging.

The harbor along the wharf fronts should be dredged to a sufficient width and depth to permit of the safe and proper conduct of business by the citizens who are obliged to use this section. Under present conditions they are put to great expense and inconvenience, owing to the shallowness of the channel. To allow these conditions to continue is unjust to them and injurious to the business interests of the city of Newport in many ways. The city is as legally bound, in my opinion, to maintain proper conditions along the water front as it is to keep Thames in proper repair.

The Committee of Twenty-Five should investigate this matter and I am quite sure that after so doing they will recommend that the necessary money be provided to make the improvement so urgently needed.

Thames Street Pavement.

Something should be done this spring to deaden the noise of the pavement on Thames street. It has become an almost intolerable nuisance and a great detriment to business. The claim of its advocates, as to its durability must be conceded, but I think the business men and their customers would be perfectly willing to sacrifice a little of its durability if a small measure of comfort in the transaction of business would be the consequence.

A coating of some kind should be applied. I am informed that a material is made for such purposes and that its cost is comparatively trifling.

Public Works.

All our municipal structures should be of a substantial nature, if we would exercise a wise foresight with regard to future durability and economy. We no longer construct our public buildings of wood, aside from the fact of the old saying that the character of the people is reflected in their public buildings, for the reason that we find it safer and more economical to use the more enduring materials.

In the light of these facts you will pardon me in expressing the opinion that the Representative Council failed to give due consideration to the proposed beach improvement and acted hastily in accepting the plan submitted by the committee. The history of all such improvements in truly progressive communities shows that the qualities of permanency and durability were appreciated and the necessary money expended in their accomplishment under the plan that those who were in the future to enjoy them should bear their part of the cost. This is generally recognized as a sound business rule for a municipality to follow and time invariably has demonstrated its wisdom.

The demand for beach improvement among the people of our city is a general one. At the recent election the plan proposed by your committee appointed to consider the subject was approved by a large majority and I believe that the greater number of those who voted against the project did so, not because they were not in favor of beautifying the beach, but because they considered that the plan was not sufficiently extensive to meet the requirements of these days and that its adoption would tend to hinder proper development at a future time.

Dumping Grounds.

During the past year the Board of Aldermen was unable to renew the present contract for the collection of city garbage, owing to the fact that dumping grounds are no longer available here, and consequently some other means must be adopted within a short time to dispose of such refuse. Incineration seems to be largely accepted in other cites as being the most sanitary, expeditious and economical process and it may be that the committee appointed by your honorable body last year to consider this subject will recommend some method or means of a similar nature.

The details of the operations and the needs of the various departments can be ascertained from a perusal of the annual reports of their heads, consequently I have not referred to them specifically. I cheerfully commend those in direct charge and responsibility for having maintained them in a high order of efficiency and conducting them economically for the public welfare during the past year.

Chairman Burdick announced the appointment of William H. Westcott as city messenger and Officer W. H. Wilcox as doorkeeper.

At 11:17 the Council took a recess until 3 o'clock.

On the adjournment of the Council the Board of Aldermen met in the mayor's office and Mayor Boyle called for nominations for President. Mr. Albro named the former incumbent, Alderman Shepley. The motion was seconded by Alderman Leddy and Alderman Shepley was unanimously elected and was sworn in.

Mr. Hughes moved that the rules of last year be adopted and this was voted.

Mr. Albro brought up the petition of the Providence Telephone Company for permission to erect poles on Farewell street near Liberty square. As there was no objection, the application having lain over for some time, it was voted to grant the permission. Alderman McLoish said he believed there are too many poles now. He found that was the feeling of the other members of the board.

FLEET'S SPRING PRACTICE.

Ships to be Rid of Combustibles and Woodwork as Far as Possible.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 1.—Every year the battle practice in the American navy more closely approximates the conditions of actual warfare. In the spring practice of the Atlantic fleet this year the idea of ridding a ship as far as possible of combustible materials and woodwork, that might cause splinters in action, is to be carried out so far that the officers and men of some of the vessels may not even sleep "on the soft side of a plank."

The plans contemplate the removal of all wooden boats, the chinks and the wooden furniture. Not even the mess tables will be left and the bluejackets will have to eat their meals squatting tailor fashion on deck. More damage and loss of life has resulted on shipboard in time of war from suffocating fires and flying splinters than from shot and shell wounds, therefore it has been decided to determine just how much woodwork can be disposed of when a craft clears for action.

The spring practice of the fleet in the West Indian waters, with Guantanamo as the base, will occupy ten days more than two months, beginning January 10. After that is completed the big ships will come North to the Southern drill grounds off the Chesapeake capes for the regular battle practice.

IN FIRST CONFERENCE.

Progressives to Attempt to Form a Permanent State Organization.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, January 1.—Delegates from various parts of the state gathered here today for the first conference of the Ohio Republican Progressives to form a permanent state organization, adopt a platform and deliberate over the choice of a man for the Republican Presidential nomination.

Judge R. M. Wanamaker of Akron, who toured ches tate with Senator La Follette of Wisconsin last week, has been named to preside at the meeting. Walter L. Houser, national manager of the Wisconsin man's candidacy, were early in conference with the delegates, with a view it is said, to obtaining an endorsement of Senator La Follette. In addition Progressive Republican sentiment will be fanned during the day by speakers of national repute, including Gifford Pinchot, Senators Clapp of Minnesota and Works of California and Congressman Morse of Wisconsin.

Sentimnet developed early against the advisability of endorsing any particular candidate, and friends of both Senator La Follette and Colonel Roosevelt were active in urging the delegates to avoid the voting of an endorsement. At 10 o'clock, when the convention was called, it was generally believed the conference would content itself with a declaration for Progress Republican principles and formation of a permanent organization. However, many delegates were insisting that La Follette should be endorsed, while others said that if an endorsement were attempted they would fight it on the floor.

Gifford Pinchot, Walter L. Houser, secretary of the National Progressive League, and Walter F. Brown, chairman of the Republican state central committee, held a long conference, at which it was said a form of an endorsement leaving the way clear for the selection of a candidate later was decided upon. John D. Fackler, secretary of the temporary organization, was elected chairman of the permanent board. Charles S. Bardsall of Cincinnati was chosen temporary secretary.

After the appointment of committees on constitution and by laws and on resolution, Louis D. Brandeis of Boston addressed the gathering. He declared that the present Progressive fight is a battle for business freedom. He described the condition in the steel industry reovaled by recent industrial investigations.

"Aside from the question of humanity," asked Mr. Brandeis, "how can these men form a proper conception of American citizens now can they live up to the high ideals set as a standard of citizenship?"

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IMPERIALIST ARMY OCCUPIES HANKOW.

Fierce Fighting Now in Progress in the City.

Outbreak May Give Opportunity to Avoid Result of Convention.

PEKIN, Jan. 1.—An army of 4,000 revolutionary troops attacked the city of Hankow last evening. An imperialist army estimated to number 30,000 men occupies the city. A fierce fight is now in progress.

According to reports current in government circles the leaders of the imperialists are delighted at the outbreak of hostilities as this will give them an opportunity of avoiding the result of the national convention agreed to by the edict of the imperial court and by the representatives of the two parties at present assembled in the peace conference at Shanghai.

Hankow was the scene of severe fighting between the two armies on several occasions before the recent armistice was decided upon.

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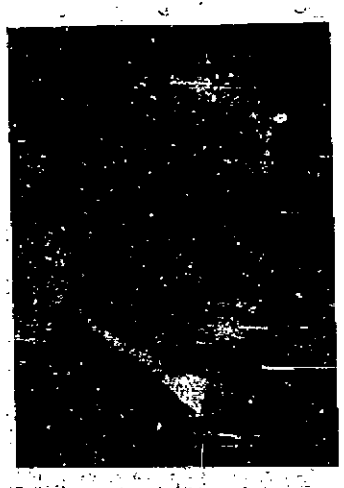
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REAL ESTATE SALES.

The deed from E. W. Highee, collector of taxes, to Reginald R. Goodell and Seth K. Humphrey, of the estate bounded north on land of the Home for Friendless Children, east on land of A. and M. Christensen, west on Malbone road and south on Russell avenue, has been filed for probate; also, the deed of the same parcel from Seth K. Humphreys to Josephine Corridon.

Henry B. Bateman has sold to Frank Nass a plot of land, 33 by 44 feet, adjoining other land of grantee and land of J. K. Sullivan on the old Polo lot.

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LIVELY ALL THROUGH.

Father Mathew Beats St. Joseph's for the First Time, in Rough Game.

City League Men Who Played on Christmas Day Suspended Till Fines Are Paid.

An exciting game of basket ball was witnessed at the Father Mathew hall Saturday evening, when the Tabs defeated the St. Joseph's team for the first time this year, by the score of 28-17. From the start to the whistle at the end it was rough and full of exciting and spectacular incidents, as is generally the case when these teams meet.

Kirwin was unable to play for St. Joseph's on account of an injury to his knee, and the whole team was shifted, Kenny going in on the forward line and Horgan in the back field. This combination did not seem to work well in the first period, as St. Joseph's did not show any team work. The Tabs played well together and their passing was fine. Their defense was also stiff, as they did not allow the St. Joseph's to score a basket in the first period, so close did they cover, giving them only 13 tries. In this half the Tabs' forwards made 10 points between them, and were well fed by the backs.

At the start of the second period the St. Joseph's boys seemed to play together more, giving the Tabs a harder fight. There are a large number of jump balls and at times many wrestling shots were made. In the second half St. Joseph's was given one point for interference. Williams and Fitzsimmons had a great struggle at centre and both were much in the game. M. Kenny, who was shifted to the forward line, played well in his new position and seemed to usch is head to advantage, while Connerton as usual played a strong game in the back field. Martin was the high man in the scoring, with six baskets, while McGrath secured three and did some good floor work. Both of the Tabs' backs also showed to advantage.

The Tabs opened by making three points at the start, before Williams made good a free try. Then came a spell with the Tabs scoring often and St. Joseph's making good three more foul tries, the score reading 16-4 in this half in favor of the Tabs. Both teams did hard covering in this period. There was nothing slow about the second half and the St. Joseph's seemed to pull themselves together and started off in the scoring with a basket by M. Kenny. The play in this half was pretty even, but the handicap the Tabs had secured in the first was too much to overcome. The period ended 13-all, the Tabs playing a good passing game. D. McGrath seemed to work and play the ball well in this period. The line-up:

Father Mathew	St. Joseph's
D. McGrath, l. f.	r. b., Horgan
Martin, r. f.	l. b., Connerton
Fitzsimmons, c.	c., Williams
D. Kenny, r. b.,	l. f., Carr
Dwyer, l. b.	r. f., M. Kenny

Score—Father Mathew 28, St. Joseph's 17. Baskets—Martin 6, McGrath 3, Fitzsimmons 2, Dwyer, Carr, Kenny 2, Williams. Horgan. From fouls—Martin, McGrath, Fitzsimmons, Kenny, Williams 3, Horgan 2. Missed foul tries—Martin, McGrath, Fitzsimmons, D. Kenny 3, Dwyer, M. Kenny 3, Williams 3, Connerton, Horgan. Missed field tries—St. Joseph's 32, Father Mathew 50. Referees—McManus and Dunn. Timer—Young. Scorer—Johnson. Time—Two 20-minute periods.

At a meeting of the City League Sunday afternoon it was voted that each man who played against the Reserves on Christmas day be fined $2 and suspended until the fine is paid, as when the schedule was made up an agreement was made that no games should be played on Christmas day by any of the City League teams. Many of the players thought this applied only to an organized team and not a team picked for the occasion to play on a certain night and calling themselves the All Stars.

A defeat, much beyond expectations, was meted out to the Young Men's Christian Association five on the occasion of their visit to Fall River Saturday night, where they played the Tigers and lost 41 to 26. The game was played in the Boys' Club hall, with a big and enthusiastic crowd present.

The Grandfield Favorites of Fall River, who are to play the Young Men's Christian Association here, are no strangers to Newport fans. This is the team which last year won such an enviable reputation with Dick McGraw of the local Father Mathews and his twin brother playing forwards. Dick is to play with the Favorites for this game only. Wilcox plays centre, with Leahy and Lewis as backs. The Fall River contingent will arrive here on a special car shortly before 8 o'clock, accompanied by 50 or more rooters.

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A special meeting of the Daughters of the Thistle will be held Tuesday 2 P. M. at Music Hall.

UNITY CLUB: Tuesday, Jan. 2. Illustrated Lecture upon "Frederick Chopin, His Life and Art," by A. Madeley Richardson, M. A., Mus. Doc. of Keble College, Oxford. Doors open at 7:15. No tickets sold. Admission by membership card only, which must be presented at the door. Elizabeth B. Congdon, Secretary.

MR. MITCHELL'S LECTURE ON "JOB."

The address delivered in the Young Men's Christian Association hall Sunday afternoon by Mr. C. C. Mitchell, in the "Holiday" series, was deserving of a much larger audience. His subject, "Job, or the World's Ash Heap," is a lecture which he delivers on the lyceum platform as well as before religious gatherings. It was a remarkable exposition of the book of Job, his analysis of this great character being especially fine and his comparisons common to every man and immediately up to date. There was no wandering off on other lines, but he followed closely the course of the story as it appears in the Bible. Probably those in the audience who have not read Job recently, or attached unusual significance to it, will read it again.

CHANGE IN CASTLE HILL FOG SIGNAL.

A bulletin issued by the Department of Labor and Commerce announces a change in the characteristic of the Castle Hill Light station fog bell. The signal is now being sounded in foggy weather with two strokes of the bell, followed by a silence of 20 seconds and then two strokes.

The fog signal at the Castle Hill Lighthouse is one of the first picked up by mariners approaching the coast from the southeast. The change went into effect December 15.

A HISTORICAL SOCETY "AT HOME."

The Newport Historical society has sent out invitations for an "at home" at its rooms on Touro street Saturday, January 6, from 4 to 6 P. M. The object is to afford those who do not belong an opportunity to visit the building and inspect it under pleasant auspices, and thereby stimulate interest in the work which it represents. It is hoped that these "at homes," which are to be held occasionally, will result in an increased membership. Saturday afternoon's affair will be in charge of Miss Edith May Tilley, librarian; Mrs. T. S. Nowell and Miss Ethel Stines-Nowell. Tea will be served.

DESTROYER WARRINGTON BADLY DAMAGED.

Superficial examination of the hull of torpedo boat destroyer Warrington, which was in collision with an unknown schooner off Hatteras Thursday night, shows that the vessel was badly rammed. The Warrington is now in dry dock at the Norfolk navy yard and will be visited by the inspection board, which will determine the extent of repairs necessary. Captain Robert M. Doyle, commandant of the Norfolk yard, will immediately appoint a board of officers to report upon the facts connected with the accident.

ANNUAL DINNER OF THE WEENAT SHASSIT CLUB.

Two score members of the Weenat Shassit Club attended the annual dinner New Year's eve, sitting down to the banquet board in Harmony hall shortly after 9 o'clock. The rooms had been decorated with Christmas greens and bunting and the tables were inviting. The menu was as follows:

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In the clubrooms later the party gathered for a social hour, with Messrs. Otto James and Richard Wheeler, Jr., at the piano. The old year was watched out and the new saluted as it came in.

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THE RECORD OF 1911.

Completion of Some Public Projects and Beginning of Others.

Entire Change in Naval Commands and Unusually Large Number of Deaths.

The year 1911 was not a remarkable one in Newport, although there were many changes which affect the entire community. In the building line it was a year of completion of work already begun, the most notable public occasions being the dedication of the Army and Navy Young Men's Christian Association and the opening of the Colonial Theatre. The naval hospital, already commenced at the beginning of the year, is still incomplete. Practically no new summer residences were erected, although several estates have been enlarged by the purchase of additional land and the improvements of the buildings. The construction of the new St. Joseph's Church, which was begun several years ago, was resumed and is now nearing completion. The division of St. Mary's parish by the establishment of St. Augustin's and the beginning of a church, school and other buildings was a notable feature of the year. There were but few changes in business circles in Newport, although there was a noticeable concert of action in the construction of new fronts to properties on Thames street.

In naval circles there was a complete change of commanding officers, Rear Admiral Raymond P. Rodgers retiring and being succeeded in the presidency of the Naval War College by Captain William L. Rodgers and in the command of the Naval Station, Narragansett Bay, by Captain Albert Gleaves, involving the removal of Newport from the list of flag stations. Captain R. W. Hourigan was relieved of the command of the Naval Training Station by Commander James H. Dayton, and Commander George W. Williams succeeded commander Mark L. Bristol as inspector in charge of the Naval Torpedo Station. During the year the ships of the Atlantic battleship fleet came to Newport for several weeks' stay, marking what many consider the beginning of Narragansett bay as one of the great naval bases of the United States, the Secretary of the Navy having made public the recommendations of the general board in favor of the establishment here of a large naval station to take the place of the navy yards at New York and in New England.

There were but few notable municipal advances, the building of a supplementary sewer system to drain the east Bay Street section being perhaps the most important. Work was begun on laying out a parkway connecting West Narragansett avenue with King park, but the Washington Street extension or boulevard project has been tied up by litigation in the courts, not yet settled. Another proposition which met with favor but has not yet been developed is the giving of land by the owners of several estates on Bath road for the material widening of that thoroughfare near the beach.

In the summer residence section there were a few purchases of estates which mean much to Newport in the future. Ex-Commodore Arthur Curtiss James bought the Duryea place on Beacon hill and will make extensive improvements. Stuart Duncan purchased the Henry White property and the adjoining Kemp land on Harrison avenue and will erect a new cottage. R. Horace Gallatin bought the Schermerhorn estate on Narragansett avenue and will use it as a summer residence after it has been unoccupied for several years. George D. Widener purchased the Hell and other properties on Bellevue avenue and the Cliffs and will erect a large summer home. T. Suffern Tailer bought the land used by the Westchester Polo Club and much other adjacent property, thus saving the grounds to the polo players and giving opportunity for additional sports. Mr. Tailer sold a portion of the property purchased to G. M. Hutton, which will be used to improve the latter's estate on Ridge road.

Death as usual was busy among the residents of Newport and took away also many of the summer residents. Perhaps the most notable decease was that of Ida Lewis, keeper of Lime Rock light and the heroine of many rescues. Another well known woman was Mrs. Florence K. Howland. From official life Postmaster Albert C. Landers and City Physician John H. Sanborn were removed. Among other well known citizens who passed away during the year were John Gilpin, Dr. Nathaniel R. Chace, John S. Langley, M. W. Callaghan, William T. Libby, Benjamin U. Carr, George H. Wilbar, Charles J. Schultz, William T. Weaver, Charles E. Spooner, Peleg D. White, William O. Hathaway, William B. Hudson, James R. Palmer, George E. Tayer, Pharmacist Cornelius Leary, Chief Gunner's Mate George Cope and Oscar E. Peabody.

Among the older residents there were many who passed the four score mark and a few who had lived to 90 or more years. The oldest were Margaret Gill and Mary, wife of John Steel, who were 96 years old. Daniel Cook was 90, Mrs. Abram C. Rice 89, Mrs. Darius M. Wilcox 88, John E. Seabury 87, Mrs. Patrick Devlin 86, and a number of others 85.

There were many deaths among the men who served in the Civil war, including Overton G. Langley, Benjamin A. Peckham, Daniel J. Moriarty, George W. Flagg, George B. Hough-

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WELCOMING THE NEW YEAR.

One Towboat Man Ahead of Time and the Tooting Long Continued—Club and Private Parties.

One towboat man must have put in a final good-by to the old year, for he started about two minutes before the midnight hour and was quiescent when the time came for the noisy welcome to New Year. His whistle sounded alone as 1911 went into history, but there was plenty of noise, and he was in it when the clock showed that 1911 was here. It seemed to be a question of endurance between some of the towboats and at times it looked as though the captain at the whistle line was obliged to wait for the firemen to put on another shovel of coal to secure steam enough to toot. The tooting was longer drawn out than for several years past, and there was more competition to see who would last the longest. It must have cost some coal, for some of the boats did a long stunt at whistling.

Mr. D. J. Walsh gave a New Year's eve party to a number of friends at which a roast suckling pig formed the first point of attack and prepared the guests for the wait, which was not long, before greeting the New Year.

The Chief Petty Officers Club saw the old year out and the new year in at its social hall over the clubrooms.

Sunday evening a party of young friends gathered at the home of Miss Caroline Tubby on Thames street to welcome the approach of the New Year. During the evening supper was served, after which a program of vocal and instrumental music was rendered.

There were watch night services in several of the churches, which had a good attendance considering the unpleasant weather.

The Channing chimes were rung at midnight to welcome in the new year.

NO BUSINESS FOR THE JUDGE.

Police Notifying Stores That Slot Machines Are Barred—Held in Philadelphia for Larceny.

The police seem to find that the season of good resolutions is at hand and is being observed. Nothing Sunday and today for the judge looks that way.

There is, however, something to do. The officers were today engaged in notifying all stores that slot machines are barred. This is something which has to be done from time to time. There is a clearing away of machines, then one dealer puts them in, then another, and the first the police know there is a full complement of various machines. None are in the barrooms, for they are not allowed, but there are other places.

The police have been notified that Louis Gilbert, colored, has been arrested and is being held for the Newport department. He is wanted for the larceny of about $200 worth of jewelry from his landlady, taking it from her trunk when she was not there. Some of the stolen property was recovered. Requisition papers have been asked for and as soon as they are issued by Governor Pothier Inspector Tobin will go to Philadelphia.

NEW YEAR'S CLOSING GENERAL.

Along Thames street today about everything is closed, except of course the cigar stores and saloons; in fact, throughout the city the stores of prominence are practically all closed. There were 30 places, including barber shops, open on Broadway this morning. A considerable number of these are open 365 days a year, and will be open 366 this year. There were two butcher shops and two grocery stores open, but in these cases the proprietors appeared to be the sole force on duty. There are of course a large number of little stores about the city which are open.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE.

BY FRED W. GREENE, AUCT'R.

Mortgagee's Sale.

THERE having been default in the conditions of a certain Mortgage made by Albert C. Young to the Newport Paper & Grocery Company, bearing date December 2nd, 1911 and Recorded in Vol. 10 of the Mortgages, Personal Property of the City of Newport, R. I., at pages 370 et seq., the undersigned mortgagee, under the powers contained in said Mortgage hereby gives notice that it has under the provisions thereof taken possession of the goods and chattels described therein and that under the powers of sale contained in said mortgage, it will sell at public auction on the 9th day of January, 1912, at 10 o'clock A. M. at the store formerly occupied by said Albert C. Young, on the Southwest corner of Gould and Warner Streets, in said Newport and at the barn in the rear thereof: all the stock in trade, fixtures, goods and chattels, and personal property in said store and all the horses, wagons, business tools, hay and grain and all other personal property in said barn, as described in said mortgage.

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THREE OR FOUR INCHES OF SNOW

First Storm of the Winter Turns to Rain Making Bad Walking.

Not Enough to Bring Out the Big Plows or the Street Crossing Cleaners.

It really looked like winter Sunday morning. People had begun to feel almost sure that there was no such thing as snow, except in flurries, which had been so far exhibited, but that there was snow above and that in court come down was evident to all when they arose on the last morning of the old year. There had been some preliminary signs. Saturday afternoon there was a feeling of snow in the air and when the moon appeared with a great circle about it that looked snowy there was a conviction that something was going to happen before 1911 took final leave.

It was about 4 a. m. when the snow began to fall. The wind was from the northeast and it was chilly; at the thermometer read at 8 a. m. and it was still snowing. The wind shifted to the southeast and by noon it was raining instead of snowing and the thermometer stood at 33; it was 35 at 2 o'clock. The rain was no more than a drizzle, but had it been in the form of snow it would have been enough to be seen. It continued well along into the night, though the precipitation after 6 p. m. was slight and probably most of what those who were out felt was the meltings from the house tops.

It was pretty slushy walking from the time the wind shifted and the snow began to turn into rain. The fall was light, about four inches seeming to be the maximum, and when melted it yielded .26 of an inch of water. The rain which followed totalled .07, making the whole precipitation .33 or one third of an inch.

Some of the highway department men went to the City wharf, thinking their services would be required in clearing crossings, but Street Commissioner Sullivan thought it would not be necessary to send out men under the conditions which existed. This morning some work has been done in clearing slush from crossings.

There was a little freezing on sidewalks during the night, but the temperature did not drop much. It was above the freezing mark at 8 o'clock and has since moved up, and the effect of the sun is shown on Thames street, where the slush has almost disappeared.

Those who took a try Sunday morning had a chance to do some sleighing, but today the sleighing is off.

The Newport Water Works men sprinkled sand on the side walk along West Marlborough street and the work was appreciated by those going to the depot.

The snow did not bother the cars to any appreciable extent. It was not necessary to call out the snow plows, as the scrapers did the work.

The ponds generally are frozen over and in some places there is skating where there are small ponds, shallow and sheltered from the wind. At Easton's the south pond was covered Saturday except for some airholes, but the high wind had kept the north pond clear of all but drift ice. There was not enough ice on the south pond to encourage skaters, but there were other ponds.

DINNER FOR CAPTAIN GLEAVES.

Mr. William R. Hunter gave a dinner Saturday evening at the Bellvue in honor of Captain Albert Gleaves, U. S. N., Commandant of the Naval Station, Narragansett Bay. The other guests were Pay Director I. G. Hobbs, U. S. N. (retired), Captain W. McCarty Little, U. S. N. (retired), Captain Frank K. Hill, U. S. N., William H. Mayer, Reginald C. Vanderbilt, Bradford Norman, Reginald Norman, H. W. Hara Powel, Dr. H. J. Knapp, Paul A. Andrews, Frederick H. Paine, Walter S. Andrews, Louis L. Lorillard, Pemberton H. Powel, Daniel B. Fearing, Dudley Morgan, Sidney Jones Colford, Jr., and Philip Potter.

GOVERNOR BASS MARRIED.

New Hampshire Executive Weds Miss Bird of East Walpole, Mass.

CONCORD, N. H., Jan. 1.—Robert P. Bass, governor of New Hampshire and Miss Edith Bird, daughter of Charles S. Bird of East Walpole, Mass., will be married at the bride's home January 20 and after a fortnight wedding tour will make up their residence in this city.

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